Wahawk '53

Hello Barbara,
"Although I don't know you very well I want to wish you all the luck and Happiness there is -
Have a nice summer
Marg Cerka

Barbara,
We had lots of fun in 1st semester Office Practice. Best of Everything.
Larry Loveland

Barbara,
I always remember all the good times we have had in the school together
Best of luck
Suzie Marlene

Barbara,
Remember those days in Office Practice. Fun!
Best of luck in the future.
Mary Jean DeHaven

Barbara:
Don't forget all our good times together in the past! Good Luck now + in the future and may we always be as good friends in the future that we are now!
Sally

Barbara
Best of luck to a swell gal.
Jean Pearson

Barb.
A long time since high school but lots of fun.
Best of luck.
Carline

Barb
He's wishing you luck in the near future.
Ray Boyer

Barbara,
Best of luck in the future to a real swell girl.
JoAnn Stark

Barbara,
Lots of luck in the future
Gary Jud

Barbara,
You are a nice girl from eighth hour to the last bell. Don't take from me
Lots of luck
Always
Donna Hayward '55

Barbara -
Best of luck
in the future in
whatever you do. It's
been nice knowing you
and being in class with
you.
Marilyn Grabinski

Barbara -
Lots of luck to a girl
I've gone through
grade school and high
school. Luck to you
in everything you do.
Bob

Barbara -
Lots of luck to
a very sweet girl.
May you succeed
in everything you
do.
Janie
Burch

Barbara -
Lots of luck for
your future -
Jocelyn Filej

Barbara:
Goodluck always
Violet B.

Barbara:
Lots of luck. Always
Remember Eng class
Regina Sadunas

Barbara,
Remember how
I walked behind
you on graduation,
I'll never
forget that day.
Mary Brennan

Barbara
Lots of happiness
to a nice girl and
classmate.
LaVonne
Borchers

Dear Barbara -
Well, we finally
made it. And glad
Best of Luck To
You
Nancy
Frances

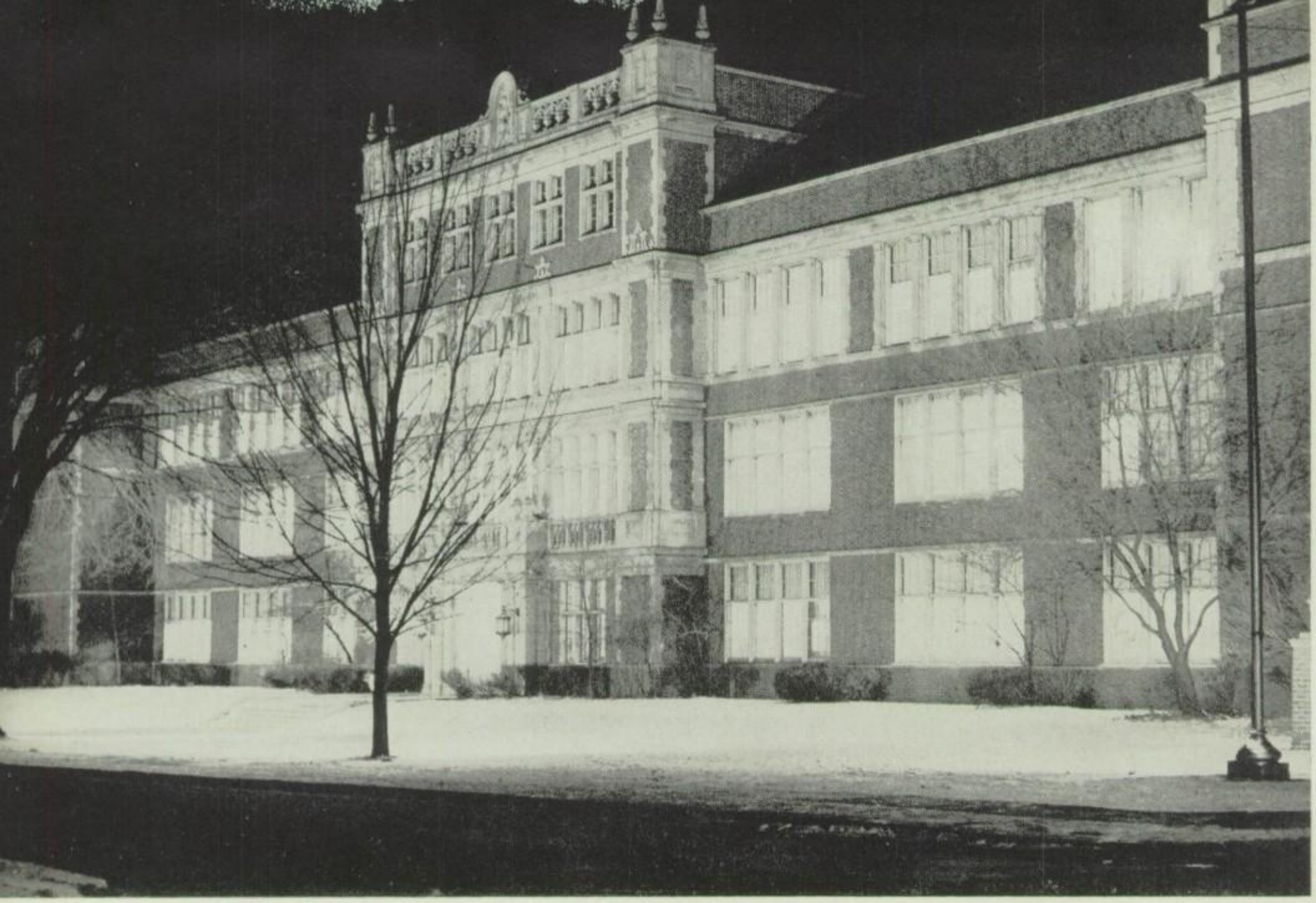
Barbara,
Here's wishing you
the best of luck
always. Type to see
the brainiac after
graduation.
A fellow senior -
Marlys B.
"53"

NANCY BOOTH,
EDITOR

ANNE BEEM,
ASSISTANT EDITOR

TERRY STEVENS,
PRODUCTION MANAGER

JAY COHEN,
BUSINESS MANAGER



"An equal chance to all—
Success to him who strives"

The

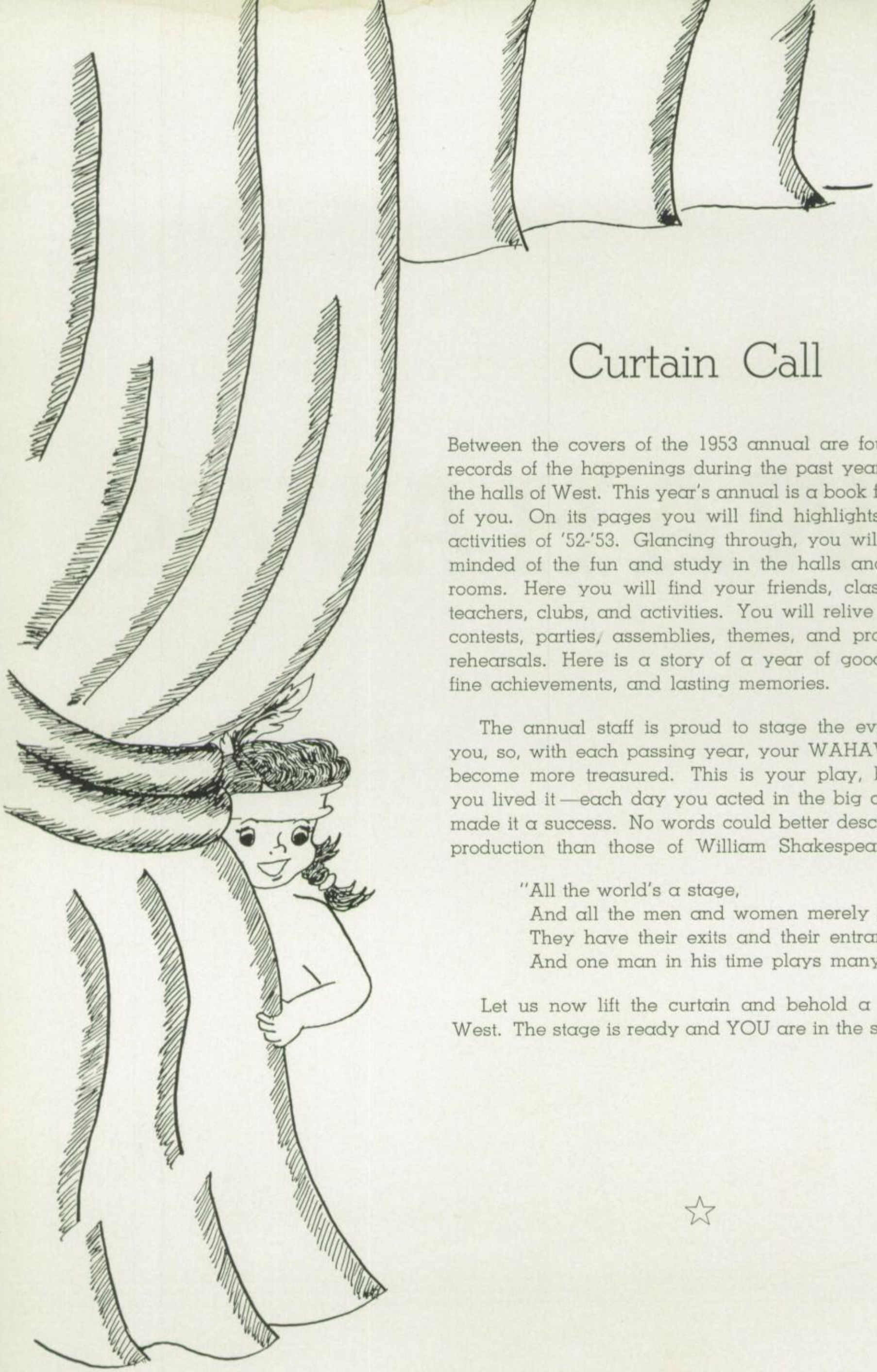
Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Three

WAHAWK

of

West High School

Waterloo, Iowa



Curtain Call

Between the covers of the 1953 annual are found the records of the happenings during the past year within the halls of West. This year's annual is a book for each of you. On its pages you will find highlights of the activities of '52-'53. Glancing through, you will be reminded of the fun and study in the halls and classrooms. Here you will find your friends, classmates, teachers, clubs, and activities. You will relive athletic contests, parties, assemblies, themes, and production rehearsals. Here is a story of a year of good times, fine achievements, and lasting memories.

The annual staff is proud to stage the events for you, so, with each passing year, your WAHAWK will become more treasured. This is your play, because you lived it—each day you acted in the big cast that made it a success. No words could better describe our production than those of William Shakespeare:

> "All the world's a stage,
> And all the men and women merely players.
> They have their exits and their entrances,
> And one man in his time plays many parts."

Let us now lift the curtain and behold a year at West. The stage is ready and YOU are in the spotlight.

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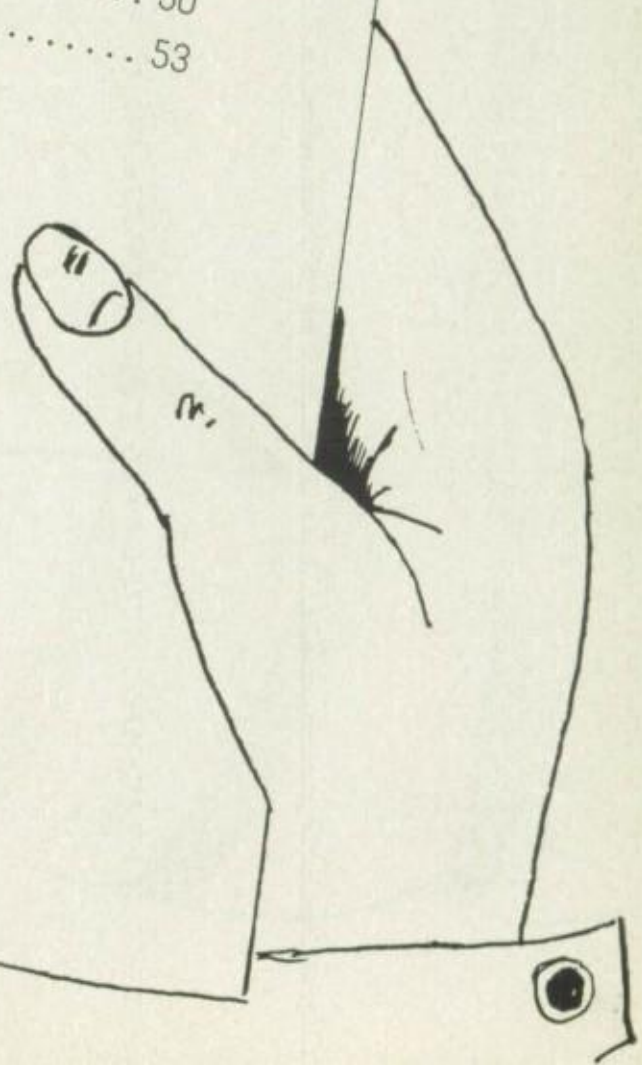

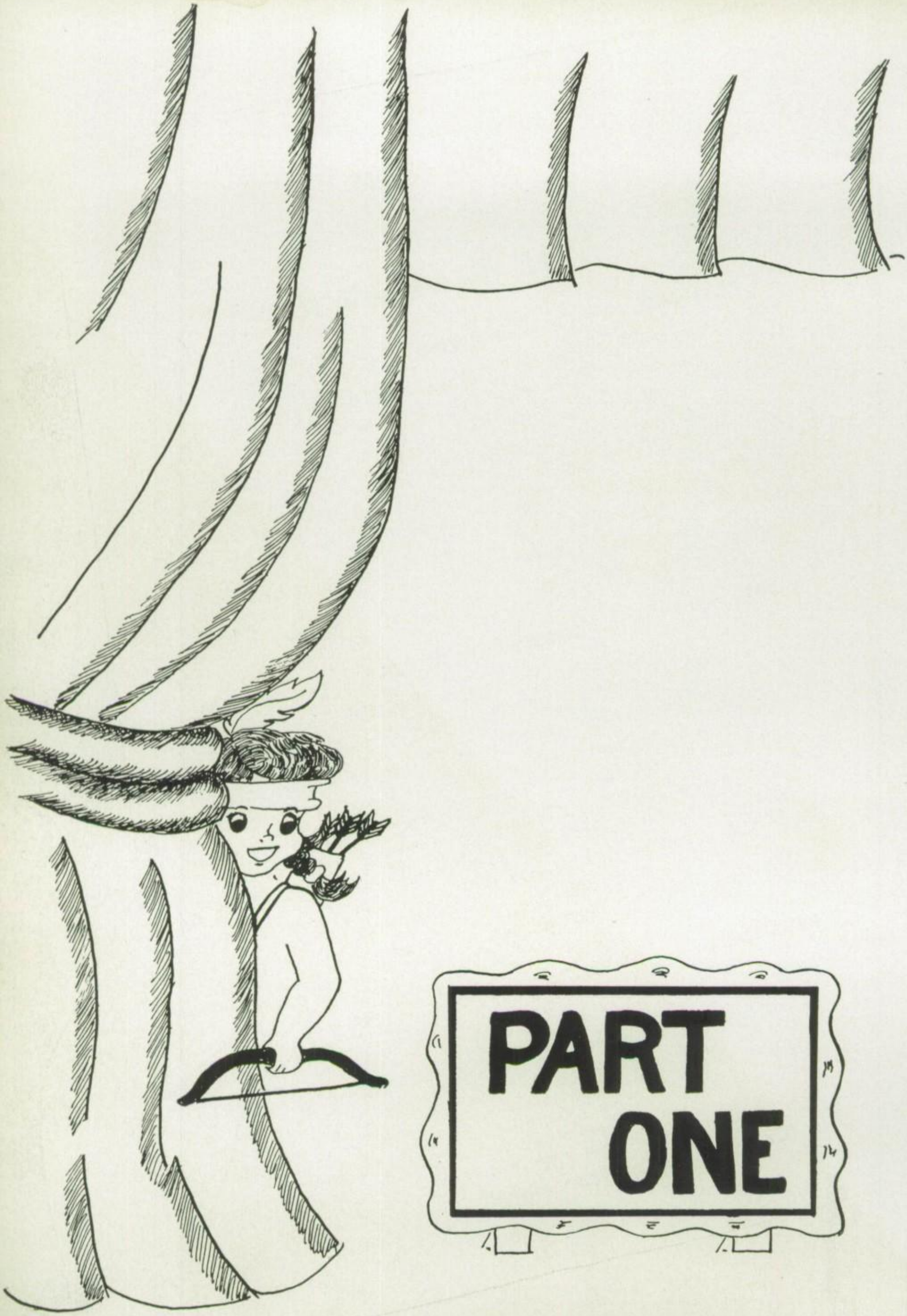

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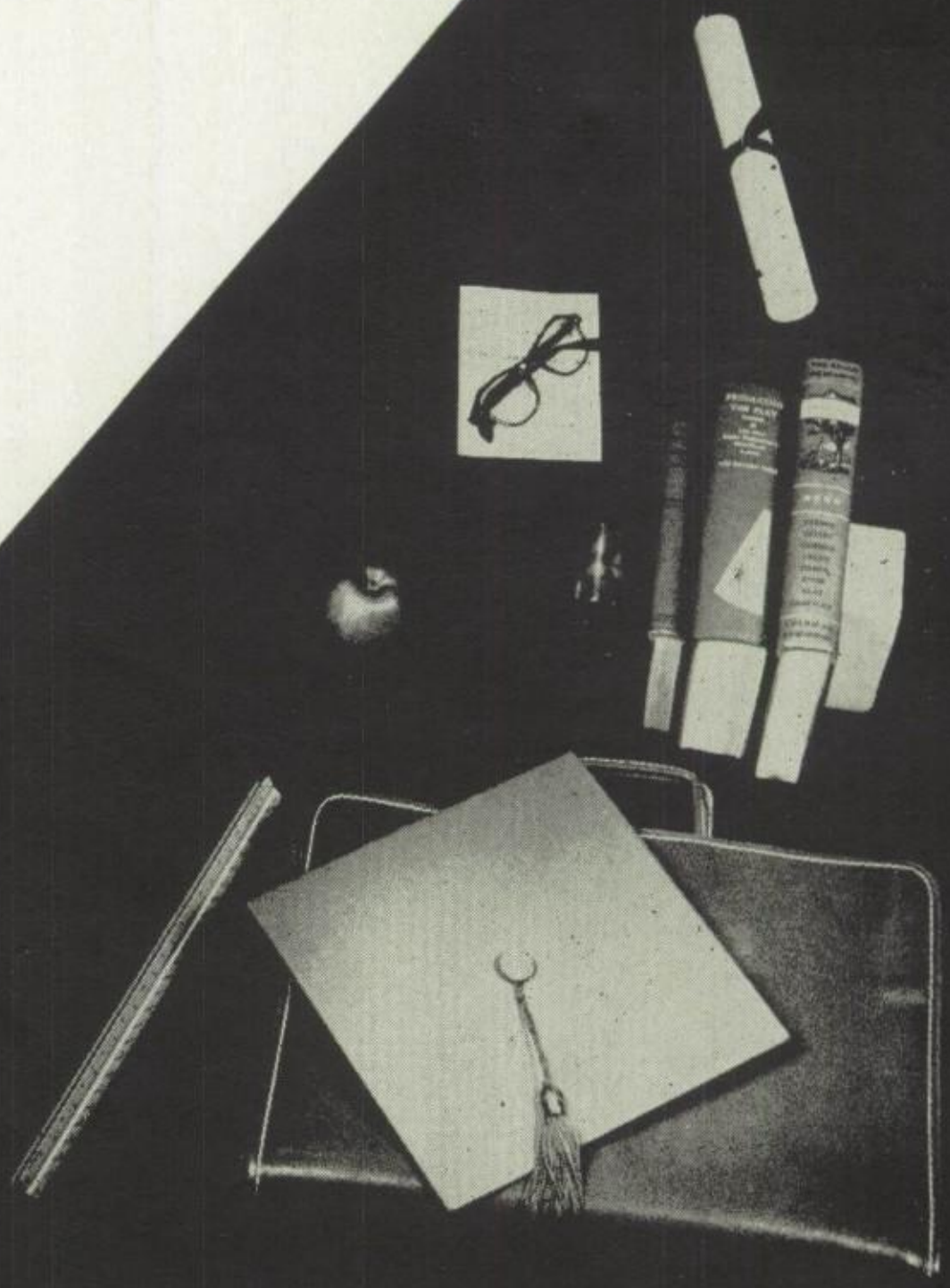


PRODUCERS

JACK M. LOGAN
Superintendent of Schools

Heading this year's staff of PRODUCERS was Jack M. Logan, superintendent of schools. To him goes credit for the flawless production of such a large scale extravaganza, for it was Mr. Logan's planning which was behind the smooth working of every detail and his leadership which brought out the best in every scene.

Working with Mr. Logan behind the scenes were the members of the Board of Education, our play's producers, who gave many hours to the personal interest of Wahawk activities. Those of us who learned to know more about them grew to respect the ideals and goals which they so thoughtfully placed before us. To them we owe our thanks for a successful season.

Board of Education

Top Row: William A. Dewees, Dr. R. S. Gerard, E. A. Ralston, Mrs. H. W. Rehder
Bottom Row: Stewart Seidler, Gordon Spry, Phillips Taylor, Robert Walker

DIRECTORS

WILLIAM W. GIBSON

Principal

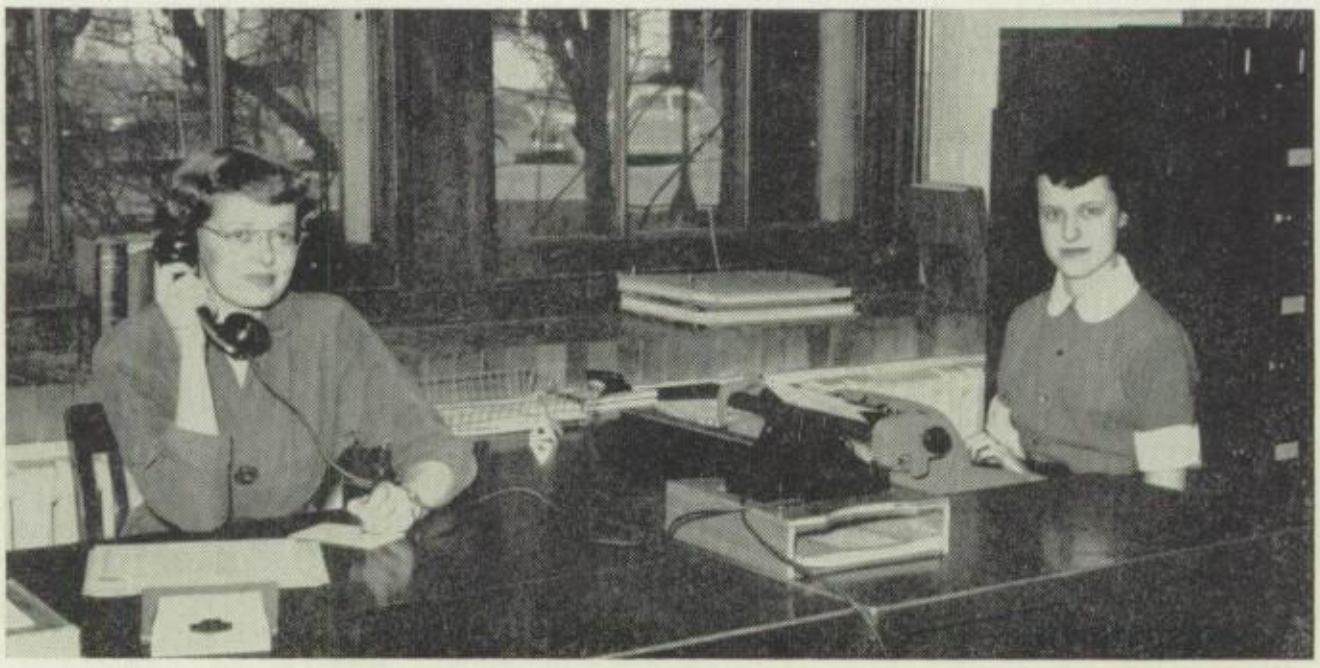
Definitely qualified for directing West High — 1953, was our principal, Mr. Gibson. Wahawks owed many delightful hours to the fine companionship of the man who so ably prepared us for our debut on a much larger stage.

DONALD F. STRAHAN

Vice-Principal

Assisting with the immense production at West High was Mr. Strahan, vice-principal and business manager. His quick wit and willing spirit will always stand out in the minds of those who worked under his able direction.

Pauline Dryden and Mrs. JoAnn Townsend are pictured below in a typical office scene. Their pleasing personalities and pleasant smiles gave a cheery touch to the many duties of our school secretaries.



TECHNICAL ADVISORS

Serving as technical advisors for our play were the 51 members of the West High faculty. They not only guided Wahawks in their search for knowledge but also helped to develop personality and outside interests.

It was because of their time and effort that all details behind the scenes and on stage progressed so smoothly. To the technical advisors, then, goes much applause for a most successful season.

KARL ANDERSON
English

LYLE D. ANDERSON
Biology, Track

RICHARD C. BAKER
Band

DONALD BLUE
Football

SARAH BOHAN
Latin

VERN BREDOW
Physical Education

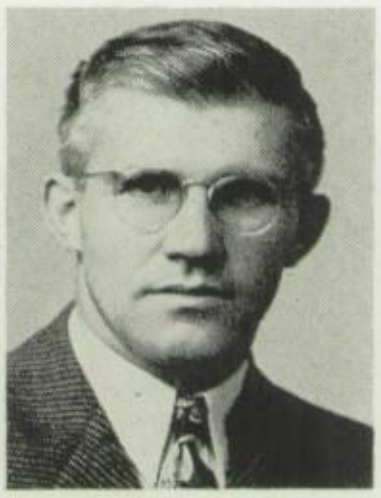
MRS. DOROTHY BROWN
Homemaking

RICHARD E. CAREY
Journalism, English

NANEEN DAVIS
Vocal Music

JOHN B. DENNY
Driver Education

CHARLES DOWNS
Art

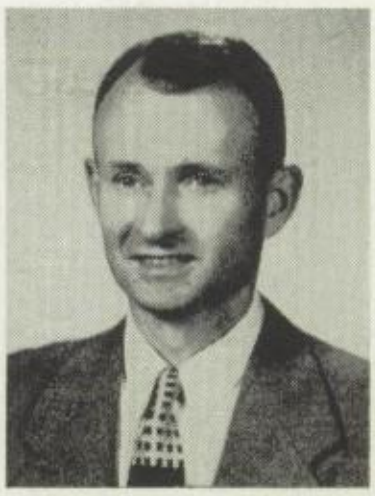


GEORGE DUTCHER
Football
Physical Education

Faculty

MARVIN EASTER
Vocal Music

MRS. ALTA EMERSON
Physical Education



BERNARD L. EYESTONE
Biology
Senior Science

GLADYS GRABE
Homemaking

FERN GRAY
Office Practice

CLARA HANSMEIER
American History

WILLIS T. HAUGEN
Mechanical Drawing
Rifle

LEWIS A. HUFF
Bookkeeping

DORIS JENSEN
Physical Education
Tennis

DOROTHY JOHNSON
Orchestra

ROBERT JOHNSON
Chemistry, Physics

MRS. MAE KEIBER
Geometry
Trigonometry

M. F. KEMMERER
Machine Shop

HELEN KNOCHE
Office Co-op
Retailing

JOHN KRUMBOLTZ
Guidance
Student Activities

FAITH KURTZWEIL
Co-ordinator of
Student Activities

Faculty

RUTH KURTZWEIL
Spanish
Co-op English

FRED LARSON
American History
Commercial Law
Economics, Baseball

DONALD LIPPOLD
Trades and Industries

HERBERT McCULLEY
General Metals

LUCILLE NASH
Shorthand
Office Practice
Salesmanship

JANE PARRISH
English, Speech

MRS. MILDRED REDMOND
Nurse

MARIE SHELLARD
World History

ROBERT SIDDENS
Wrestling

VIOLA SMITH
Consumers' Math
Algebra

WESLEY SODERGREN
Guidance
Student Activities

MRS. LAURA STECHER
French, English

E. G. STROBRIDGE
Athletic Director
Physical Education
Basketball

SHERMAN TOLLEFSON
Football

MRS. THEO UBAN
Librarian

ADALENE E. WAGNER
Head of English
Department

LEILA WASSOM
German, English

DON WIELAND
Vocational Woodshop

DOROTHY WILSON
Attendance Office
English

RUTH WILSON
Speech, Drama
English

BESSIE YOUNG
Typing

JAN ZELLHOEFER
English

BEATRICE ZEUCH
American History
Social Studies

STAGE MANAGERS

From September to June the custodians kept the stage in condition for the actors. Their numerous duties often kept them unseen from the audience, but whether mowing the field, washing the blackboards, or sweeping the halls, their efforts as stage managers were appreciated by the cast and directors. Here they take a moment to pose for the WAHAWK photographer.

Left to right: George Erdman, Harold Weidemann, Edward Allison, Ernie Fisher, Phillip Klinker

Absent from picture: Claude Black, Mrs. Geneva Colbert

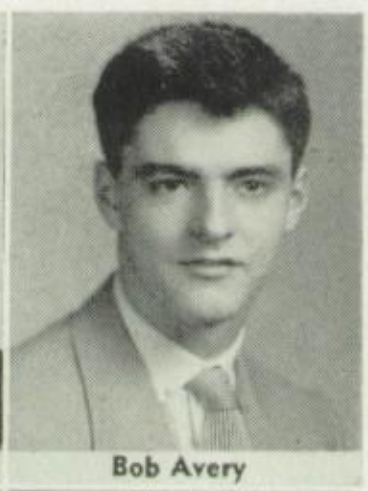
The STARS remember when they . . .

Janet Adams

Don Aegerter

Carol J. Akers

James Anderson


Bob Avery

Douglas A. Baker

Richard Barck

Janet S. Barge

Don Bartlett

Sharon Bearbower

Virginia L. Bebout

Roger Beck

John Beem

James Beinke

Wesley Bentrude

Dell L. Bernstein

Chardette Billman

Duane Blough

Nancy Booth

LaVonne Borchers

Dick Bothun

Marlene Bawn

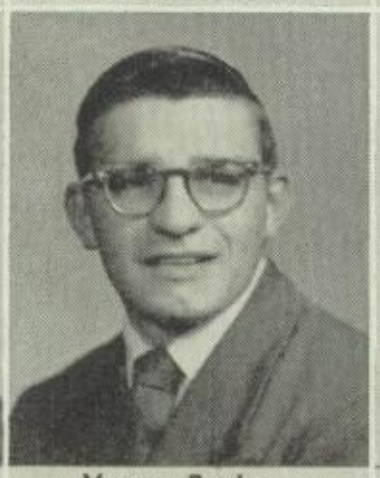
Robert R. Brandhorst

Barbara A. Breitsprecher

Mary K. Brennan

Kathy Ann Brocka

Marlys Brunscheon


Vernon Buchan

Janice Burch

John D. Burg

Emma Jean Burton

Mary Calvert

Della Cameron

Joy Christensen

Gilbert J. Clemens

Lawrence Clough

Joan Marie Cnossen

Normajean Cochran

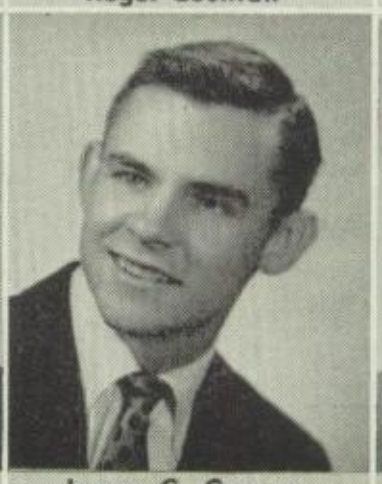
Roger Cochran

Jay Cohen

Connie Cohrt

Robert Colby

John A. Connolly, Jr.


James C. Cooney

Kay Corson

Prepared for their first debut . . .

Anticipated dimming of house lights . . .

Peggy Craven | Jack Curran | Bob Daniels | Dean Davis | Raymond Davis

Rex Davis | Fred R. Debe | Mary Jean DeHaven | Violet J. Dickson | Pat Dietz

Verna Dean Dietz | Olive Anne Eden | Joyce Eicher | Gordon L. Elbert | Jimmie Ellis

Richard Evans | Evelyn Falaris | Ronnie Fell | Gordon C. Fikejs | Marilyn Finger

F. Gary Fish | Richard E. Fallette | Dick Ford | Carole Fox | Nancy Lee Francis

Had shaky knees on opening night . . .

Stood before the footlights for the first time . . .

Richard Howard

Don A. Hubbard

Carol A. Hunger

Cheryl Venice Huntington

Virginia Hushagen

Fay Hutchins

Edwin S. Jacobs

Shirley Mae Jacobsen

Ann Jochumsen

Margret K. Johnston

Alta Jones

Bernadine C. Jones

Eva Jones

Dona Jeann Keegan

Gayle Keegan

Sue Kelly

Patricia Kiefer

Larry G. Klein

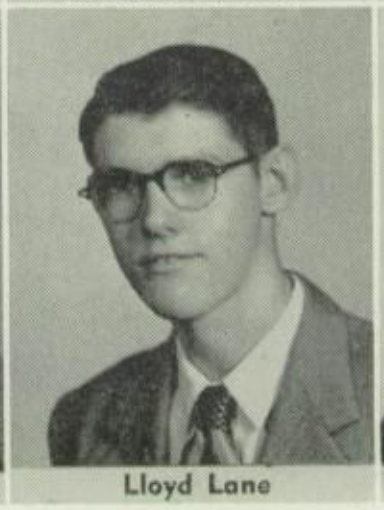
Barbara K. Klove

Mary Knief

Derwood K. Koenig

Jerry Kraft

Roger Lane


Lloyd Lane

William F. Lane

Robert C. Larson

Jane Larsson

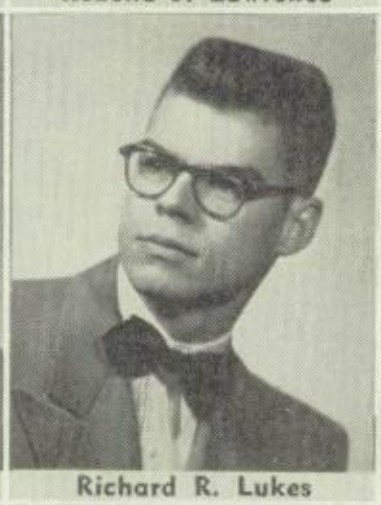
Rozella J. Lawrence

Carl E. Leavell

Sandra Leighton

James E. Lemon

Larry Loveland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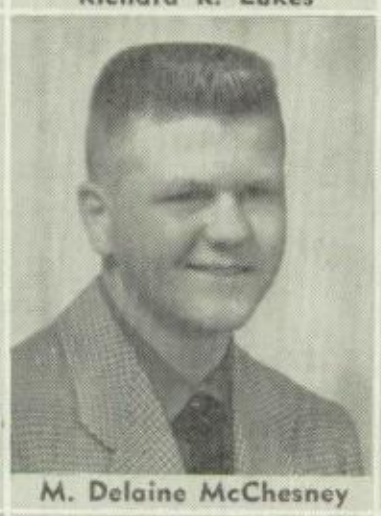
Jean Madill

Richard W. Mahnke

Jerry L. Martin

Marlin L. McCann


M. Delaine McChesney

Shirley McChesney

Ruth Ione McCord

Ann McDermott

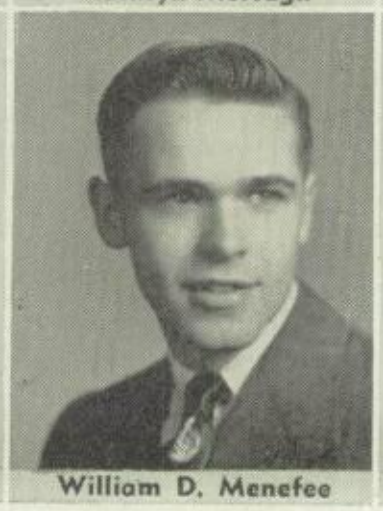
Kathryn McHugh

Iva Jane McKinley

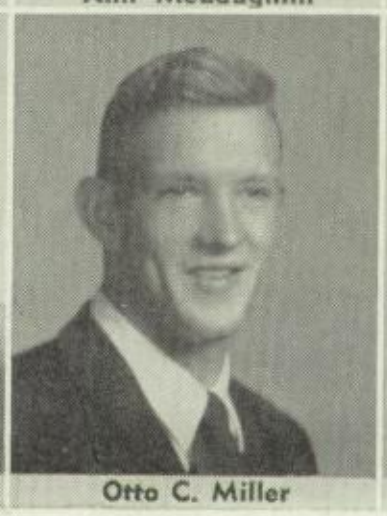
Ann McLaughlin

Donna Rae Meek

Dennis D. Melchert


William D. Menefee

Bruce Miller


Otto C. Miller

Phillip E. Miller

Admired bigger parts with awe and envy . . .

Were finally cast in the lead . . .

John D. Minehart

Bonnie Mixdorf

Jean Molgren

Martha Monger

Ronald G. Moore

ElRheta Mountain

Joyce Murray

Jack Mussett

Sarah G. Nadler

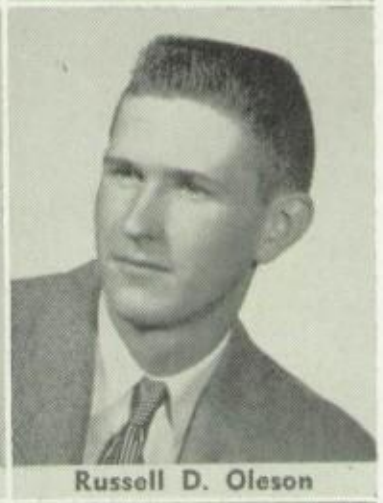
Janet Neidt

Phyllis Niemeyer

Virginia Norton

Sunny Obert

Will E. Ogle


Russell D. Oleson

JoAnne C. Oltrogge

George Orth

Norma J. Padden

Sally Patmore

W. Jean Pearson

Beverly Penning

Barbara K. Philiph

Gordon Potter

Janet L. Pratt

T. David Quinlan

Donna Lee Rachuy | Lyle Rachuy | Claudette A. Reed | Jere Reisinger | Sherrill Ann Reynolds

Janice A. Rice | James Rich | Marjorie Ann Rinker | Rich Roberts | Connie Ross

Jane Rowe | Roger Rube | Dale Rulon | Ruth Irene Rush | Sharon Sanders

Jack K. Sandhagen | Nancy Schaan | LeRoy M. Schaffer | Phyllis Schauer | Ruth Schnur

Diane Scholl | James H. Schotter | Norman Scott | James Scroggy | Sandra Seibert

Proudly completed a long run . . .

And now take their final bow . . .

Joanne L. Shipley

James Sisson

Arlene Smith

Nancy Smith

Stan Smith

Helen Snyder

Charles Solberg

Edwin O. Sonnack

Delores M. Stanley

JoAnn Stark

Carline Stevens

Terry Stevens

Barbara A. Stewart

Lavonne Stopperan

Renee Strozzi

Ronald Stuber

Luella Sullivan

Damon H. Swanson

Allen L. Torr

Weston Thomas

Marilyn Thompson

June E. Thomsen

Gretchen Todd

Marilyn Tonne

Kenneth R. Trost

In the long-awaited grand finale.

Bonnie Lou Tuman

Arnold E. Vidis

Ronald J. Wastier

Ann Watkins

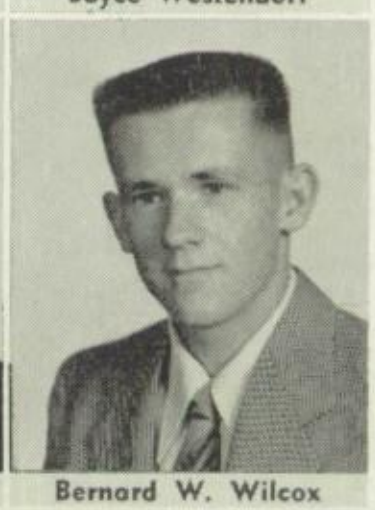
Joyce Westendorf

Marlene Westergaard

James Wheeler

George Byron White

Roger L. White


Bernard W. Wilcox

Robert Willett

Susan Wilson

Bill Winder

John Windolf

Ronald Wood

Lawrence W. Woodard

Sharon L. Woolhiser

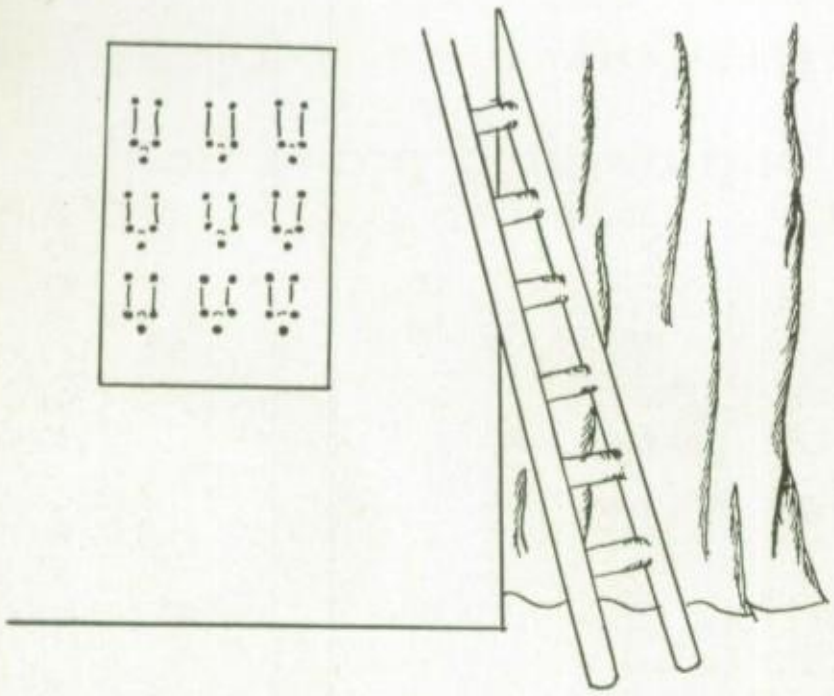
Gary L. Yarrington

The graduates not pictured are as follows:

Raymond R. Boyer
Jack W. Culbertson
Glen R. Hansen
Maryann Stevens Locke
David H. Payton
Wayne Tharp

The following are former students who have completed requirements for graduation from West High through the Armed Forces Institute:

Stanley Hall
Jens Paul Lorenzen, Jr.
Robert G. Perry
Ronald Fay Thomas



Our SUPPORTING CAST added

Row 1: Martha Addington, John Adix, Lee Adler, Shirley Albertson, Gerald Albright, Harold Allen, Lois Anderson, Tom Anderson

Row 2: Ray Asper, Marion Aukes, Bill Babbitt, Eddy Baier, Dave Bamford, Max Barnett, Anne Beem, Sandra Bell

Row 3: Neil Benjamin, Bob Bitterly, Garry Bixby, Toby Blanford, Roger Blankenship, Ann Bluedorn, John Bonner, Karen Booth

Row 4: Bob Brandenburg, Joyce Branson, Diane Broessel, Janet Broholm, Gery Ann Bronson, Shirley Brooks, Marylynn Brown, Pat Brown

Row 5: Joyce Buehrer, Jim Burnell, Jim Cagley, Craig Campbell, Carla Carter, Don Carter, Monte Castle, Rodele Catlett

Another step in their climb to the top...

Row 1: Gerald Chihak, Jane Clark, Dianne Claussen, Harold Clough, Keith Cobb, Gvonne Cook, Jean Cook, Craig Cooper

Row 2: Darrell Conway, Larry Cornett, Barbara Cover, Larry Crowe, Wayne Csukker, Bob Current, Jack Culbertson, Jim Dalziel

Row 3: Lynne Damm, Roger Davis, Russell Davis, Janice DeHart, Jack Deibert, Clinton Dennis, Sue DeVeny, Gerry Dexter

Row 4: Janet Dieckmann, Myrna Diggins, Betty Driscoll, Lynne Dunkerton, Pat Dunning, Pat Earles, Karen Eastin, Howard Ehlert

Row 5: Bill Elliott, Pat Ellis, Shirley Faye, Pauline Fell, Arlene Forbes, Judy Fortune, Beverly Rae Francis, Doris French

Row 6: Barbara Furgason, Nanci Gallery, Carole Ganung, Nancy Gardner, Grove Garrison, Al Gaskell, Bill Geiger, Robert Gerstenkorn

Row 7: Carolyn Gilliland, Rollie Gorman, Sylvia Grassfield, Pat Griffith, Jerald Gruver, Lynka Gruver, Sharon Guernsey, LaDonna Hamilton

Gave moral support to the stars...

Row 1: LaVonne Harper, Patricia Harrington, Don Hartman, Luanne Hartman, Janice Hartson, Janice Hastings, Sandra Havens, Joyce Hellman

Row 2: Carol Henning, Ron Henry, John Hey, Rodney Hinton, LeRoy Hoff, Jane Hoffman, Barbara Hogshead, Don Holder

Row 3: Carolyn Holmes, Carol Hoppenworth, Edward Hoyer, Dale Huff, Domingo Jaramillo, JoAnne Jensen, Lauren Jessen, Arthur Johnson

Row 4: Patty Johnson, Wayne Johnson, Richard Johnston, Wanda Jones, Richard Jung, Barbara Junger, Bob Keiper, Julie Kellum

Row 5: Roberta Kenny, Dave Knott, Jack Koehn, Harold Kohls, Carolyn Kolker, Paul Koloc, Bob Kubik, Kay Lamb

Row 6: Cheriene Lampman, Jack Lane, LuAnne Larson, Robert Leatherman, Elberta Leavell, Florence Lehman, Loyce Lehmkuhl, Richard Leonard

Row 7: Darlene Lohmeyer, Marie Lorenzen, Bob Lott, Bill Love, JoAnn Luloff, Dick Lynes, Pat Magee, Bill Maher

Shared in the work and the fun...

Row 1: John Mahler, Dick Makinster, Margaret Manley, Marilyn Martin, Carole Mason, Carol Matthias, Kathryn McDaniel, Kim McElhose

Row 2: Celeste McIntyre, Judy McKim, LeRoy McNamee, Virginia McRoberts, Gary Mehlin, Gary Mendon, Bob Merfeld, Jackie Merritt

Row 3: Dora Meyer, Talea Meyer, Bill Miller, Carole Miller, Shirley Miller, Donn Moeller, Kelvin Moeller, Gordon Moser

Row 4: Helen Myers, Marvin Neidt, Betty Obadal, Dennis O'Connor, Pat Olds, Larry Olsen, Paul Olson, Larry Orr

Row 5: LeRoy Orth, Arlene Palmer, Sonya Parrott, Susan Parrott, Beverly Perkins, Jean Petersen, Charlotte Peterson, Mary Jo Peverill

Row 6: Nancy Jo Pfeifer, Dick Poe, Marilyn Port, Paul Porter, Curtis Potwin, Dick Pries, Mary Quackenbush, Sandy Quackenbush

Row 7: Sue Raecker, Marie Ralston, Gayle Rarick, Cordell Rasmussen, Gene Reed, Rhea Loris Ressler, Hank Reuling, Arlen Riggs

Made first appearances in the spotlights...

Row 1: Beverly Rinker, Jim Robbins, Alice Roberts, Roger Robinson, Don Roeder, Carol Rooff, Carol Rourke, Mary Saint

Row 2: Bob Sauer, Donna Saylor, Frank Schaefer, Clarence Schaffer, Lloyd Schaffer, Bette Schneider, Meriem Scholl, Mary Schoonmaker

Row 3: Marcia Schreiber, Bruce Schroeder, Delbert Schommer, Donna Schumann, Chris Schultz, Helga Schwab, Jack Schwestka, Nancy Scott

Row 4: Phyllis Selix, DeWayne Sevey, Dick Sheets, Joyce Shellenberger, Stephen Showers, Paul Sisson, Charles Slater, Barbara Smith

Row 5: Bonita Smith, Connie Smith, Roger Smith, Sue Snyder, Eugene Spears, Norman Spivack, Harold Stacy, Ronald Stark

Row 6: Annette Staudt, Joan Stecher, R. J. Stemmerman, Naomi Stevens, Stanley Stevens, Gloria Strom, Ronald Sturch, Eugene Swanson

Row 7: Sonny Swehla, Douglas Talley, Paul Temple, Yvonne Terhark, Marlene Terpstra, Jim Tharp, Ruth Thompson, Doris Thomsen

And prepared for their leading roles.

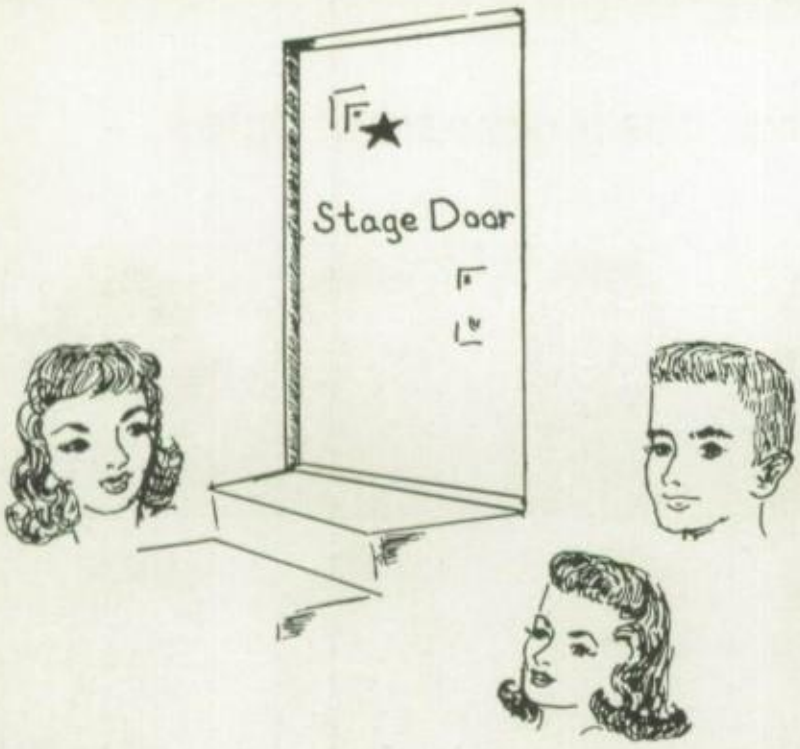
Row 1: John Timm, Jim Townsend, Gaylen Trasamar, LaVonne Treichel, Robert Trowbridge, Catherine Troyer, Barbara Tubandt, JoAnn Walden

Row 2: Ruth Walther, Audrey Warren, Shirley Warrens, Lilas Watson, Dave Webster, Dorothy Westergaard, Sandra Whannel, Darrell Whitesell

Row 3: Gale Wilcox, Claudia Williams, Carol Wilson, Sandra Winburn, Phrone Worm, Ronald Wyborny, Karen Wylie, Jim Young

Row 4: Marilyn Young, Jim Zimmerman

The Junior not pictured is Roger Thompson



The UNDERSTUDIES made a big hit in their first appearance...

Row 1: Betty Acker, Delores Aegerter, Chester Allen, James Allison, Le Roy Anderson, Carolee Avis, Jo Anne Bagenstos, Judy Baker

Row 2: Gordon Balvanz, Sandra Barnes, Jerry Barnett, Jim Barry, Glenn Bass, Leslie Beasley, Shirley Bebout, Vivian Beckner

Row 3: Jane Bender, Bob Benson, Jim Berry, Ralph Blankenship, Tom Blood, Don Boleyn, Max Boller, John Bostinelos

Row 4: Harry Brant, Larry L. Brant, Deloris Bratt, Dave Briden, Barbara Brown, Bob Brown, Errol Brown, John Bryant

Row 5: Paul Buchan, Donalee Buchanan, Larry Bueter, Dean Bunce, Betty Busby, Ronald E. Cagley, Kenlyn Cameron, Dick Carson

Proved that small parts are very essential...

Row 1: Bob Cass, Margaret Cerka, Jon Christensen, Sylvia Ann Clayton, Nancy Cobb, Howard Cohrt, Carol Cook, Francis Cousins

Row 2: Loretta Cousins, Bill Cowell, Sondra Croll, Jack Crowe, Gerald Cunninghom, Henry Dailey, Sandra Davis, Stewart Davis

Row 3: Denise Dennis, Wally Dietz, Patricia Donath, Bonnie Drahiem, Carol Dumpman, James Earnest, Dean Eberly, Pat Edge

Row 4: David Fecht, Warren Fikejs, Barbara Filbrandt, Dick Forrester, John Frost, Marlys Gallery, Conrad Gallmeyer, Mary Galloway

Row 5: Ross Geiger, Roger Gerholdt, Gerry Gienger, Diane Gillette, Frances Glessner, Patricia Goecke, Jim Golinvaux, Janice Goodrich

Row 6: Gwendolyn Gott, Janet Graham, Valerie Graham, Bob Grappendorf, Charles Greene, Judy Gregg, Aline Grove, Charlotte Grubb

Row 7: Sandra Guernsey, Bonnie Guyer, Caryl Haberer, Janice Hagy, Jim Hamilton, Carol Hansen, Barbara Harken, Sandra Harrison

Encountered new experiences and friends...

Row 1: Jean Harwell, Vernon Hastings, Joanne Heichel, Mary Lou Heideman, Cherie Henke, Gerry Hileman, Patricia Hill, Shelby Hoeg

Row 2: Beverly Holdridge, Cecilia Holkeboer, Lucrettia Holms, Jane Holt, Mavis Hopper, Judy Hoyer, Dorothy Hugh, Bill Humble

Row 3: Lyle Hutchins, Marilyn Immel, Wayne Jackson, Curtis Jacobsen, Roger Jeys, Rejman Jirsa, Dick Johnson, Joyce Johnson

Row 4: Ronald Jolls, Patricia Jones, Peggy M. Jordan, Kay Kassner, Syd Katz, Susan Keller, Frank Kempf, Ronald Kendall

Row 5: Mary Kestel, Bill King, Ronald Kistner, Kenneth Knutson, Arthur Koch, Margaret Kolker, Joyce Kottman, Max Kough

Row 6: LeRoy Lamb, Mike Lane, Leroy Lathrop, David Lawrence, Rheta Rae Lawson, Walter Leaman, Marjorie Lindsey, Lois Ann Lobeck

Row 7: Barbara Long, Mary Ann Lowry, Dixie Luck, Kay Luehr, Gene Luttrell, Charley Lynch, Donajo Lynch, Pat MacLennan

Smiled as the first curtain was drawn...

Row 1: Dorette Makinster, Kathleen Maring, Joan Marquand, Donn Mattusch, Mary Ann Mayne, Richard Lee McCalley, Donald McClain, Iva McClain

Row 2: Mabryn McClelland, Sharon McCreedy, Mary McGreevey, Bob McNamee, Betty Meeker, Gerrie Melton, Charles Meyer, Mervel Miller

Row 3: Ric Miller, Sally Miller, Janis Millett, Nancy Modlin, Rollo Moe, Barbara Moore, June Moore, Earl Morgan

Row 4: Carl Morgan, Kathleen Morrow, Jeanette Morse, Anne Belle Moschkau, Larry Moser, Ruth Mountain, Wayne Munson, Marilyn Murphy

Row 5: Marilyn Murray, Joe Myers, Leilani Nelson, Roberta Nelson, Maxine Neubauer, Dale Nichols, Virgil Niemeyer, Sandra Nipper

Row 6: Barbara Norris, Joan O'Bryon, Judy O'Donnell, Don Olson, Shirley Olson, David Parsons, Jack Patchin, Linda Patty

Row 7: Evangeline Payton, Craig Peffer, Steve Peterson, Charles Phelps, Don Porchet, Sharon Potts, Tom Purdon, Lila Quackenbush

Await their turn to re-enter the stage door...

Row 1: Ronald Raecker, Francis Reed, Dolores Renzo, Roger Richardson, Bob Richeson, LuAnn Ritter, Grady Robinson, Mary Rooff

Row 2: Patsie Rooff, Larry Ross, Delbert Rossberg, Sandy Rowland, Evelyn Russell, Eva Kay Rutledge, Virginia Lee Saint, LeRoy Satterlee

Row 3: Bud Sauer, Don Saul, Irene Schaffer, Shirley Schauer, Dick Schmadeke, Richard Schmitz, Sandra Schnur, Jerry Seaman

Row 4: Maryanne Secrest, Lee Shaffer, Norman Sharar, Dick Shields, Lucretia Shirley, Janell Sickles, Albert Simcox, Loran Simpson

Row 5: Ruby Simpson, LaRue Small, Bill Smoker, Richard Smuck, Wesley Sodergren, Dave Solberg, Dennis Sommer, Ralph Sommerfelt

Row 6: Tom Spragg, Stan Stapella, Lillian Sterner, Perry Stevens, Thieleane Stevens, Bill Stewart, Janet Stolt, Melva Stoner

Row 7: Patty Stuber, Charlene Sturch, Marlene Sturch, George Swanson, Joy Swanson, Dorothy Switzer, Sandra Thieman, Gary Thompson

When they, too, will receive top billing in every scene.

Row 1: Gordon Tjaden, Gary Todd, Lola Beth Treichel, Jack Tufts, Steve Turner, Kent Van Schoyck, Bob Vriezelaar, Joyce Walther

Row 2: John Wayne, Sylvia Webbeking, Jim Weber, David Wente, Kathryn Werner, Robert E. Wessely, Fred West, Carroll Westerfield

Row 3: Bob Wheeler, Vera White, Arnold Wilson, Tom Winder, Delores Wittenburg, Sharon Young

The sophomores not pictured are as follows: Donna May Bard, Roger Davis, Bill Klapp, Darwin Larson, Edward Place

IN MEMORIAM

MARLYS A. GALLERY

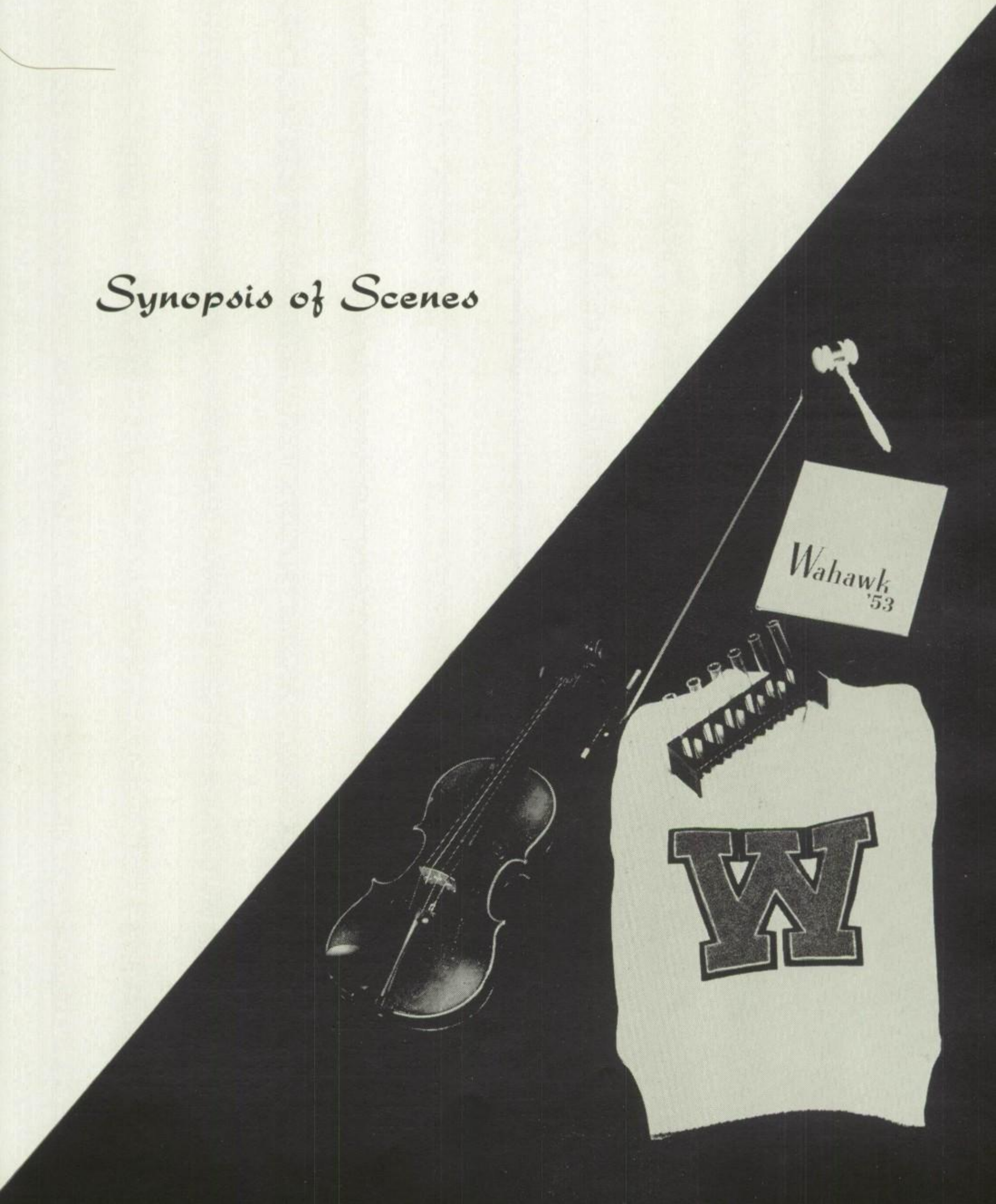
September 17, 1936 to April 10, 1953

She, too, knew the thrill and spirit of an athletic event, the hustle to get to class on time, the awe of learning new things, and the pride in the strains of the loyalty song. For she, too, was a part of all that is West High.

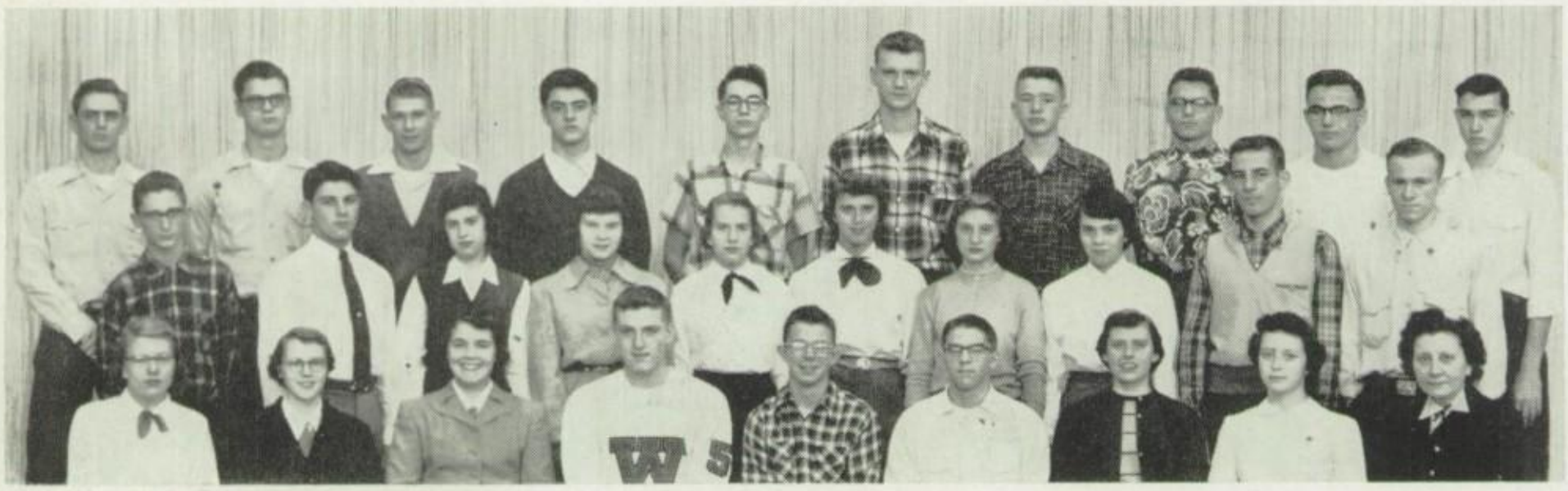
This year the door closed on the life of our sophomore classmate, but her memory will never die in the hearts of those who knew and loved her.

PART TWO

Synopsis of Scenes



WE, THE STUDENTS



STUDENT SENATE . . . First Semester

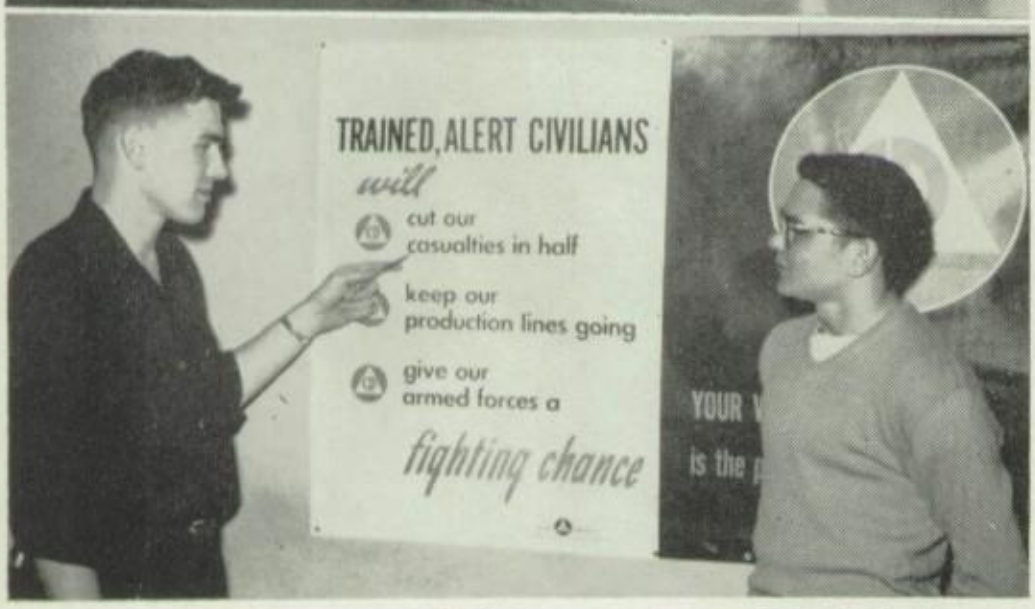
Row 1: Nancy Booth, Jean Molgren, Jean Madill, Jim Young, John Beem, Tom Winder, Sandy Seibert, Janet Neidt, Miss Faith Kurtzweil

Row 2: Bob Grappendorf, Jim Schotter, Sandra Thieman, Kay Lamb, Jane Bender, Denise Dennis, Betty Acker, Roberta Kenny, Bob Keiper, Roger Smith

Row 3: Gary Hayes, Bud Sauer, Steve Turner, Bob Avery, Wayne Johnson, Bob Larson, John Adix, Charles Solberg, Jim Rich, Eugene Hadwiger

Absent from picture: Bob Benson, Harold Clough

Tom Winder, secretary, and Jim Young, vice-president, look on as prexy John Beem directs plans for student activities during the first semester.



Looking over a Civil Defense poster are Dick Mahnke and Chuck Solberg, chairmen of the Safety Committee.

Democracy on a small scale fully describes the West High Student Senate as it practiced government within the student body. First and second semester presidents were John Beem and Gary Hayes respectively; they were assisted by Miss Faith Kurtzweil and Mr. Gibson along with the guidance of individual committee sponsors.

Committees played a major part in the activities of the year as they worked with the Senate and in coordination with homerooms.

The Scholarship Committee presented skits on "How to Study" to the homerooms and held a campaign on improving students' vocabularies by the "word-a-day" method. It also published reports on scholastic standings and took a survey of study habits.

Striving to create better attitudes among the students was the Citizenship Committee, which held an election and straw vote during the national presidential election.

Tabulation of Golden W service points was the chief job of the Extracurricular Committee members, who also conducted surveys on student participation in activities.

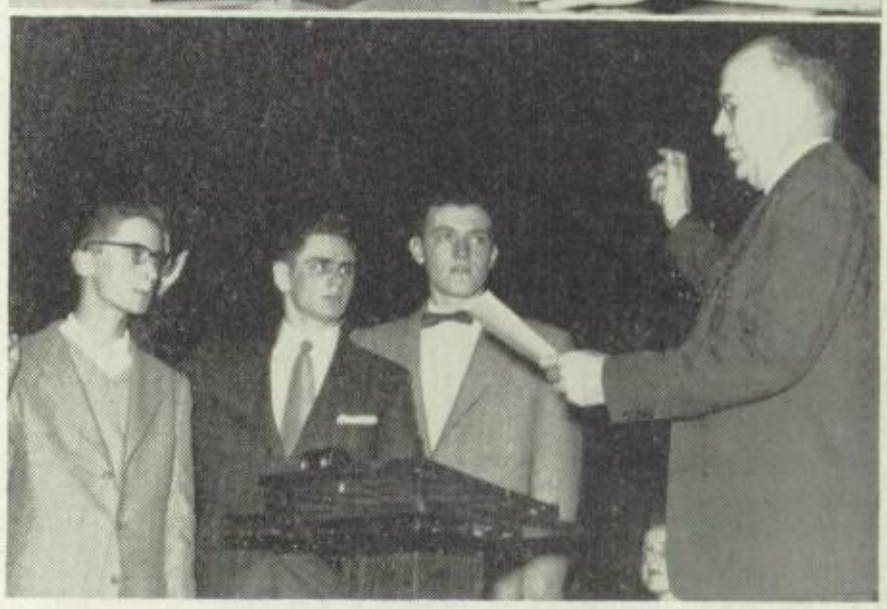
All-city dances, moonlights, and the Junior-Senior Prom were only a part of the busy schedule of the Social Committee. The success of activity night was also a tribute to its fine planning.

Under the sponsorship of the Safety Committee, students became more aware of the importance of Civil Defense and first aid. Another successful project was the enforcement of "no parking" during school hours across the street from the school.

Through the efforts of the Auditorium Committee, the student body benefited from excellent talent on the Wahawk stage. Presentations of some widely known performers made this one of our outstanding years of assemblies.

The Thrift Committee conducted a survey to check lockers without locks, made a report on the condition of the school clocks, and created an interest in the lost and found department.

The Student Senate worked as a closely knit organization for better feeling in the halls of West.



Sandra Seibert, Ann McLaughlin, Jim Rich, and Jim Sisson discuss decorations and details for the Junior-Senior Prom.

Carol Gibson and Janet Neidt, co-chairmen of the Extracurricular Committee, spend their spare time recording service points for Golden W cards.

Bob Grappendorf, Gary Hayes, and Jim Young agree to defend the constitution of the West High Student Senate as Mr. Gibson administers respectively the oaths of secretary, president, and vice-president of the second semester's Student Senate.

STUDENT SENATE . . . Second Semester

Row 1: Sue Kelly, Ann McLaughlin, Ann McDermott, Bob Grappendorf, Gary Hayes, Jim Young, Janet Neidt, Carol Gibson, Miss Faith Kurtzweil

Row 2: John Beem, Jim Berry, June Moore, Jane Bender, Kay Kassner, Marilyn Port, Cecilia Holkeboer, Shirley Faye, Janice Hagy, Jerry Kraft, Craig Cooper, Larry Moser

Row 3: Bill Ogle, Jack Lane, Eugene Hadwiger, Wayne Johnson, Fred Debe, Dick Mahnke, Dick Poe, Larry Loveland, Jim Sisson, Rejman Jirsa, Dale Huff

Row 1: Warren Fikejs, Bonnie Drahiem, Rhea Loris Ressler, Larry Woodard, Jim Rich, Betty Busby, Kim McElhose, Ric Miller
Row 2: Garry Bixby, Bill Geiger, Dick Pries, Bob Merfeld, Dale Huff, Delbert Rossberg, Gene Luttrell, Le Roy Anderson, Bob Benson
Row 3: Rollie Gorman, Jerald Gruver, Dave Quinlan, Bill Love, Steve Turner, Dennis Melchert, David Wente, Gene Hoeg, Jerry Seaman
Row 4: Dick Bothun, Hank Reuling, Bob Vriezelaar, Charles Solberg, Douglas Baker, Bob Larson, John Adix, Darrell Conway, Bud Sauer
Absent from picture: Roger Blankenship, Dean Eberly, Jerry Kraft, Roger Rube, Ruth Rush, Gary Thompson

GAVELIERS

Gaveliers, an organization in its second year, is a club for homeroom presidents. Larry Woodard and Jim Rich served as presidents first and second semester respectively.

Originally the club was organized for the purpose of familiarizing students with correct parliamentary procedure. Gradually it became a group which assisted with securing homeroom programs and promoting school activities. The goal of its members was to co-operate with the Student Senate in the various functions of the student body.

Perhaps in the future this group will become as essential a part of the student government as the Student Senate.

BOYS' STATE

Six boys represented West High at Hawkeye Boys' State in June, 1952. The annual assembly of boys from all over Iowa was held at Camp Dodge, nine miles from Des Moines.

For one week 720 boys lived in a model democracy and elected their own officials on a state legislative basis. In the election of 16 state officials West took two titles: Ronnie Moore, supreme court judge, and Dick Mahnke, commerce commissioner.

To quote one of the boys who attended: "It was a week spent learning about state and national government operations through actual experience."

Larry Woodard is pictured in a typical act as president of Gaveliers.

BOYS' STATE

Row 1: Ronald Moore, Dick Mahnke, Jim Beinke
Row 2: Gordon Fikejs, Dennis Melchert, John Beem

Kim McElhose and Jim Rich are planning programs to be presented for entertainment during homeroom periods.

SHARPS AND FLATS

Several musicians from the music department combined their talents in some small ensembles for music contests or for the benefit of school productions. A few of these groups performed at civic affairs.

In November five Wahawks ventured to Des Moines to participate in the All-State Band. For two days they worked with students from all over Iowa, and the experience was climaxed by a concert in the KRNT Theater.

Representing West at the state contest on April 25 was the clarinet quartet, which received a Division I rating. Division I ratings also went to LaVonne Harper, Charles Solberg, and Sandra Havens for clarinet solos and Carolyn Gilliland, piano solo.

Those who received Division II ratings were Joyce Branson, drum solo; Marylynn Brown, piano solo; and Delaine McChesney, Jane Rowe, Sylvia Grassfield, Joyce Branson, and Ann Bluedorn, drum ensemble.

Students who represented West in the All-State Band were Gary Yarrington, Jim Beinke, LaVonne Harper, Charles Solberg, and Wesley Bentrude.

LaVonne Harper, Sandra Havens, Charles Solberg, and Marilyn Young combined their talents in a clarinet quartet which received a first division rating in the state music contest.

Marlin McCann, Craig Campbell, Bill Elliot, and Jim Cagley harmonize on one of their numerous songs which became so popular among the student body. The quartet's accompanist was Larry Cornett.

Jean Madill, Janet Neidt, and Jean Molgren, in the second year as a trio, vocalize in preparation for one of their many appearances. Emma Jean Burton served as their accompanist.

BAND

Row 1: Mr. Richard Baker (director), Kenneth Knutson, Joanne Shipley, Marilyn Port, Loyce Lehmkuhl, Barbara Moore, Errol Brown, Dennis Sommer, Dave Solberg, Ann Bluedorn, Sandra Davis, Marilyn Grabinski, Bruce Miller

Row 2: Roger Thompson, Russ Oleson, Gil Clemens, Warren Fikejs, Tom Spragg, Ron Henry, Raymond Smith, Janet Stolt, Gerrie Melton, JoAnn Luloff, Lloyd Schaeffer, Tom Blood, Barbara Furgason

Row 3: John Bonner, Jack Schwestka, Dave Payton, Gary Yarrington, Jerry Martin, Perry Stevens, Dick Lukes, Craig Peffer, Frank Kempf, Karen Wiley, Sandra Whannel, Bill Love, David Wente

Row 4: Lyle Rachuy, Gordon Tjaden, Bob Sauer, Dave Knott, Bill Maher, Jim Wheeler, Roger Lane, LeRoy Schaffer, Pauline Fell, Gerry Hileman, Lynne Dunkerton, Glen Lehman, Bill Cowell

Absent from pictures: Eddy Baier, Craig Cooper, Fred Debe, Sylvia Grassfield, Judy Gregg, Eugene Hadwiger, Gary Hayes, Jack Lane, Ruth McCord, Dick Poe, Stan Smith, Joan Thompson, Bob Wheeler

ORCHESTRA

Highlighting a full year's activities for the forty-three orchestra members, under the baton of Mr. Richard Baker, were the "Evening of Music," the annual Christmas musical, and the Spring Music Festival. To complete its busy schedule, the orchestra also performed at the fall and spring plays and attended the music department banquet at the Ti-Pi-Tin Inn.

Miss Dorothy Johnson directed the string section of the group.

SILVER STRINGS

Silver Strings, the newest of the musical organizations, is conducted by Miss Dorothy Johnson.

Although the string students in the group had a good background of classical orchestra music, which is absolutely essential, it was necessary to glamorize and inject some showmanship into their program.

The music played was varied-classical, semi-classical, novelties, and music from stage shows, with particular emphasis placed on the importance of learning the styles of many composers. Since the music for this type of ensemble is extremely limited, all of it was arranged by Miss Johnson.

Nine public performances were made by the group. Soloists were Arlen Riggs, string bass; Craig Campbell, vocalist; John Witt, pianist; and the Silver Strings Quintet composed of Albert Simcox, Joan Grappendorf, Eva Jones, Delores Stanley, and Joan Cnossen. Connie Cohrt and Donajo Lynch were accompanists. Master of Ceremonies was Bob Sauer.

BAND

Row 1: Wesley Bentrude, John Bryant, Joyce Branson, Patty Lyttles, Delaine McChesney, Dale Huff, Donajo Lynch, Haroly Stacy, Vivian Beckner, Joyce Buehrer, Shirley McChesney, Jane Rowe
Row 2: Chester Allen, Stewart Davis, Gerry Dexter, Beverly Penning, Barbara Philiph, Jean Pearson, Charles Solberg, Kelvin Moeller, LaVonne Harper, Marilyn Young, Luanne Hartman, Sue Raecker, Roberta Kenny, Sandra Havens
Row 3: Iva Jane McKinley, Donna Saylor, Beverly Holdridge, Gary Todd, Donalee Buchanan, Betty Driscoll, Judy Baker, Wayne Jackson, Gene Hoeg, Marlin McCann, Kay Corson, Darlene Lohmeyer, Don Holder
Row 4: Bud Sauer, Tom Purdon, Lois Ann Lobeck, Aline Grove, Barbara Norris, Marilyn Murphy, Bob Current, Jim Beinke, Dennis Melchert, Nancy Jo Pfeifer, Shirley Faye, Carol Akers, Joan Stecher

BAND

The largest enrollment in the history of the West High band made necessary the development of two separate units. These groups met first and fourth hours for practice. The mid-winter concert, two programs at Sloan Wallace, assemblies, and the Spring Music Festival featured the musicians in a busy year's schedule, which was climaxed by a party at the Ti-Pi-Tin Inn with the orchestra and chorus.

Drum majors were Ken Knutsen and Jane Rowe. Football half times, civic parades, and the Band Jubilee were major activities during their season.

ORCHESTRA

Row 1: Albert Simcox, Eva Jones, Helen Snyder, Betty Busby, Cecilia Holkeboer, Lynne Dunkerton, Joan Cnossen, Ann Jochumsen, LaVonne Harper
Row 2: Delores Stanley, Pat Kiefer, Patricia Goecke, Marylynn Brown, Kelvin Moeller, Marilyn Young, Charles Solberg, Sandra Havens, Sandra Whannel, Bill Love, Dale Huff, Jack Lane, Betty Driscoll, Kay Corson, Marlin McCann
Row 3: Roger Lane, Dave Knott, Gary Yarrington, Wesley Bentrude, Bruce Miller, Gary Hayes, Jim Beinke, Dennis Melchert, Carol Akers, Shirley Faye, Roger Thompson
Standing: Carolyn Gilliland, Joanne Shipley, Sylvia Grassfield, Jane Rowe, Delaine McChesney, Miss Dorothy Johnson, Mr. Richard Baker, Ralph Blankenship, Arlen Riggs
Absent from picture: Shirley Olson

TREBLE CLEF

Row 1: Shirley Jacobsen, Jo Anne Bagenstos, Gayle Keegan, Beverly Perkins, Sandra Nipper, Lillian Sterner, Jeanette Morse, Caryl Haberer, Vivian Beckner, Sandy Rowland, Mary Galloway, Sondra Croll

Row 2: Judy O'Donnell, Bonnie Drahiem, Sylvia Ann Clayton, Jane Bender, Margaret Kolker, Mary Kestel, Kathleen Morrow, Margaret Manley, Joyce Hellman, Shelby Hoeg, Janet Graham, Valerie Graham, Patricia Hill, Delores Wittenburg, Kathleen Maring, Donajo Lynch

Row 3: LuAnn Ritter, Leilani Nelson, Mary McGreevey, Dorothy Hugh, Sandra Thieman, Kay Kassner, Pat Brown, Frances Glessner, Marjorie Lindsey, Nancy Modlin, Janice DeHart, Sharon McCreedy, Mabryn McClelland, Patricia Jones, Janell Sickles

Row 4: Patricia Harrington, Melva Stoner, Mary Rooff, Carole Mason, Carole Ganung, Carole Miller, Carol Cook, Marlys Gallery, Lila Quackenbush, Mary Saint, Dora Meyer, Bette Schneider, Maryanne Secrest, Doris Thomsen, Linda Patty, Joyce Kottman

Row 5: Jean Harwell, Sandra Barnes, Donna May Bard, Patsie Rooff, Gale Wilcox, Sally Miller, Kathryn Werner, Joyce Johnson, Peggy Jordon, Cherie Henke, June Thomsen, Elberta Leavell, Florence Lehman, Dorothy Westergaard, Phyllis Selix, Marcia Schreiber, Phrone Worm

Absent from picture: Betty Acker, Cheriene Lampman, LuAnne Larson, Betty Meeker, Joyce Walther, Janice Goodrich

TREBLE CLEF

Tuning up for future places in the mixed chorus were the girls in Treble Clef. They met four days a week under the direction of Miss Naneen Davis. Participation in the Christmas program highlighted their activities.

CHORUS

Row 1: Sue DeVeny, Emma Jean Burton, Margret Johnston, Ann Watkins, Jean Petersen, Janet Pratt, Jean Molgren, Karen Booth, Ruth Thompson, Virginia Hushagen, Arlene Smith

Row 2: Jean Madill, Ann McLaughlin, Sunny Obert, Connie Ross, Barbara Junger, Talea Meyer, Anne Beem, Barbara Tubandt, JoAnne Jensen, Janice Hastings, Sue Kelly

Row 3: Kay Lamb, Virginia McRoberts, Barbara Furgason, Carole Fox, Rhea Loris Ressler, LeRoy Satterlee, Arlen Riggs, Jim Schotter, Larry Ross, Marlin McCann, Darrell Whitesell

Row 4: Mr. Marvin Easter (director), Don Saul, Jack Culbertson, Jim Cooney, Larry Woodard, Gil Clemens, Grady Robinson, Gene Reed, Bob Keiper, Charles Philps, Bob McNamee

TROUBADOURS

Row 1: Gordon Tjaden, Kent Van Schoyck, David Parsons, Dave Solberg

Row 2: Mr. Marvin Easter (director), Mervel Miller, Sondra Croll, Jerry Barnett, Bill Humble

Row 3: Gary Mendon, Clinton Dennis, Douglas Baker, Bud Sauer

TROUBADOURS

The Troubadours, directed by Mr. Marvin Easter, is a group of boys who are preparing for senior chorus. They met four days a week for practice and combined with other high school choruses in the Christmas musical.

CHORUS

Combining their talents in the mixed chorus were the members of Philomel, the girls' glee club directed by Miss Naneen Davis, and Minnesingers, the boys' group under Mr. Marvin Easter's direction. The chorus, under the direction of Mr. Easter, was one of the busiest organizations at West. Participating in "An Evening With Music," the Christmas program, the spring festival, and the singing for several assemblies and club meetings, these energetic musicians still found time to enjoy the annual band, orchestra, and chorus party held at the Ti-Pi-Tin Inn.

CHORUS

Row 1: Joan Cnossen, Janet Adams, Nancy Booth, Kay Corson, Connie Cohrt, Martha Addington, Pat Griffith, Natalie Hotchkiss, Jane Hoffman, Carla Carter, Carolyn Kolker

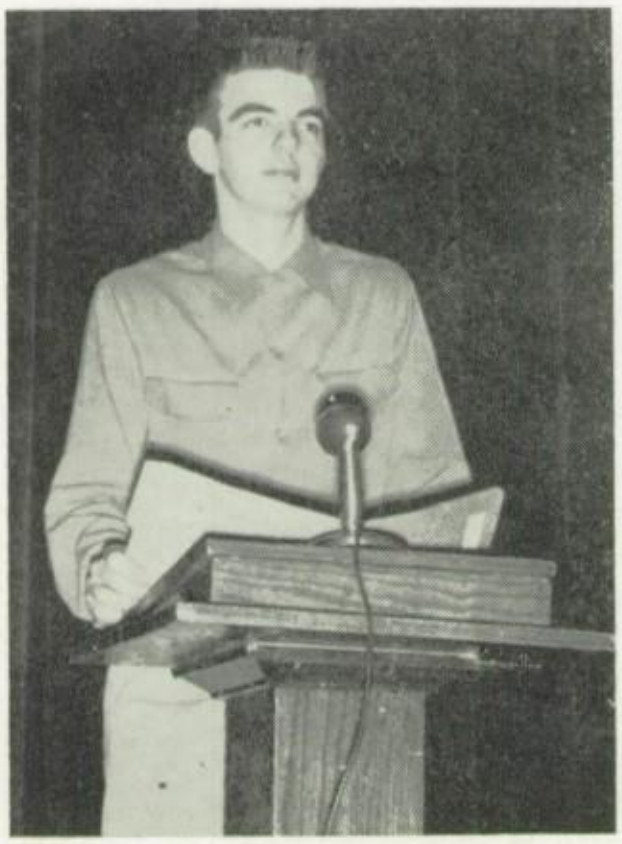
Row 2: Kitty Holmes, Terry Stevens, Sandy Seibert, Nancy Heldridge, Janet Neidt, Marilyn Tonne, Marilyn Martin, Gery Ann Bronson, Patty Johnson, Connie Smith, Jean Geary

Row 3: Martha Monger, Kathryn McHugh, Joanne Shipley, Chris Schultz, Donna Meek, Carol Rooff, Larry Cornett, Neil Benjamin, Keith Cobb, Paul Koloc, Jack Connolly

Row 4: Richard Follette, Craig Campbell, Domingo Jaramillo, Jim Cagley, Kelvin Moeller, Bill Elliott, Jim Anderson, Phillip Miller, Roger Cochran, Francis Reed, Max Barnett

Absent from pictures: Mary Brennan, Valerie Green, Celeste McIntyre, Sharon Sanders, Donna Schumann, Lavonne Stopperan

SPEAK UP



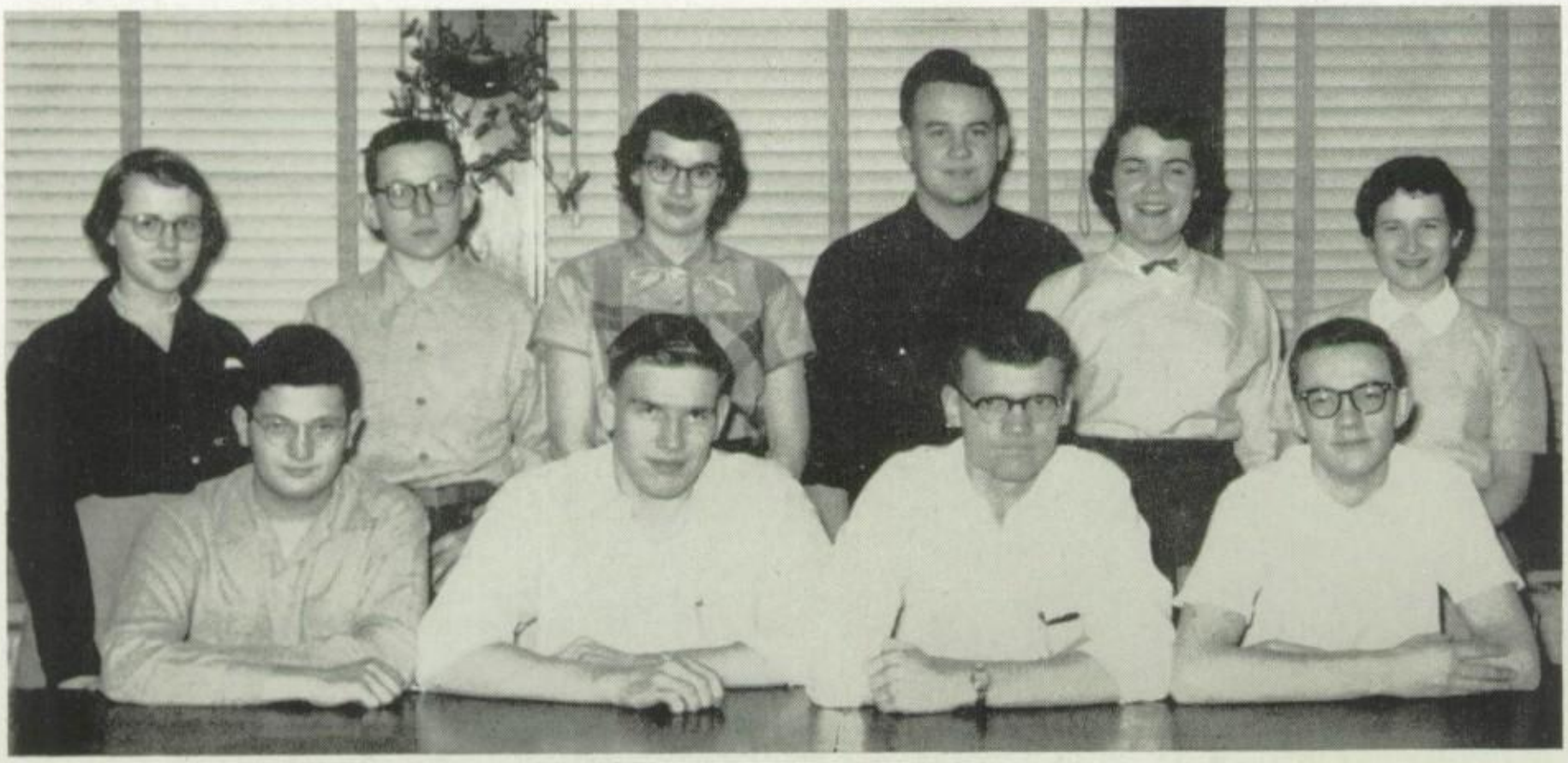
Dick Poe poses at the microphone with his original script as he "Speaks for Democracy."

I. S. T. C. DISCUSSION TOURNAMENT

Thirteen students took part in the Iowa State Teachers College Discussion Tournament held at T. C. on November 14 and 15, 1952.

Two days were spent discussing the problem, "What Type of World Organization Should the United States Support?" Bills were then presented to a model senate.

The group, which received eighteen superior ratings, was coached by Miss Ruth Wilson and Miss Marie Shellard.



I. S. T. C. DISCUSSION GROUP

Row 1: Edwin Jacobs, Dick Mahnke, Bob Larson, Jim Beinke

Row 2: Jean Molgren, Mike Lane, LaVonne Harper, David Parsons, Jean Madill, Emma Jean Burton

Absent from picture: Ronald Moore, Ruth Schnur, Sandra Schnur

FORENSIC LEAGUE

State forensic speech contest gave students an opportunity to participate in a student senate meeting and to present bills. Dick Mahnke and Dick Poe received excellents in student senate speaking and Janet Broholm and the two boys earned superiors with senate bills.

FORENSIC
Dick Mahnke, Janet Broholm, and Dick Poe

I. H. S. S. A.
Seated: Meriem Scholl, Sue Kelly, Sarah Nadler, Jane Rowe
Standing: David Wente, Dick Poe, Wesley Bentrude, Ronnie Moore

IOWA HIGH SCHOOL SPEECH ASSOCIATION

Fifteen Thespians went on a chartered bus to Shenandoah where they shared in contest activities of the Iowa High School Speech Association. Those who received first divisions in their departments were as follows:

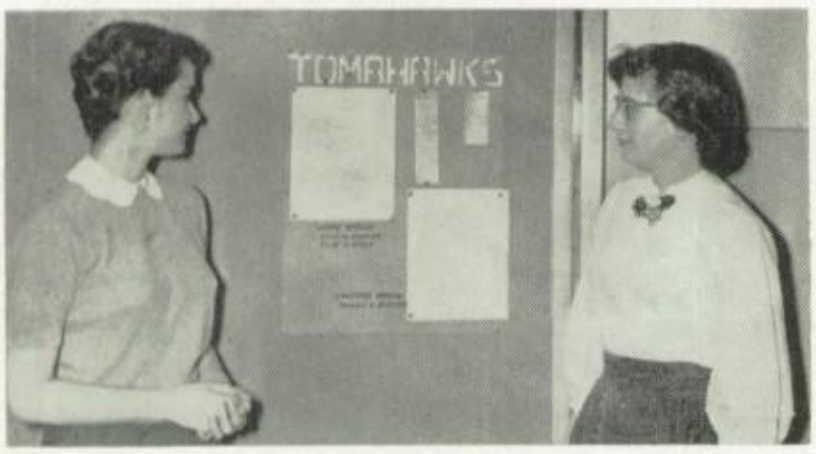
Wesley Bentrude, Dick Poe, Jane Rowe, Meriem Scholl, Ronnie Moore, Sue Kelly, Sarah Nadler, Dave Wente, and the one-act play, "Fog on the Valley."

Second place ratings went to Carol Gibson, Dave Wente, Wayne Johnson, Marilyn Martin, Terry Stevens, Martha Monger, Charles Solberg, and Jim Young.

Arlen Riggs, Kelvin Moeller, Anne Beem, Mary Schoonmaker, Diane Gillette, and Ronnie Moore rehearse in full costume for the one-act play, **Fog on the Valley,** in preparation for the state contest.

TOMAHAWKS

Row 1: Jane Rowe, Cheriene Lampman, Talea Meyer, Janet Neidt, Barbara Junger, Roberta Kenny, Pat Edge, Carolyn Kolker, Marilyn Immel
Row 2: Mr. Karl Anderson (advisor), Rhea Loris Ressler, Sandra Winburn, Marilyn Martin, Luanne Hartman, Joyce Branson, Sylvia Grassfield, Betty Busby, Lynne Dunkerton, Jay Cohen
Row 3: Terry Stevens, Anne Beem, Shirley Gardner, Sarah Nadler, Chris Schultz, Marilyn Young, Caryl Haberer, LaVonne Harper
Row 4: John Beem, Jack Koehn, Gil Clemens, Jim Rich, Charles Solberg, Jim Beinke, Dick Barck, Craig Cooper, Damon Swanson
Absent from picture: Charlotte Peterson, Lila Quackenbush, Gloria Strom, Douglas Talley, Dave Webster

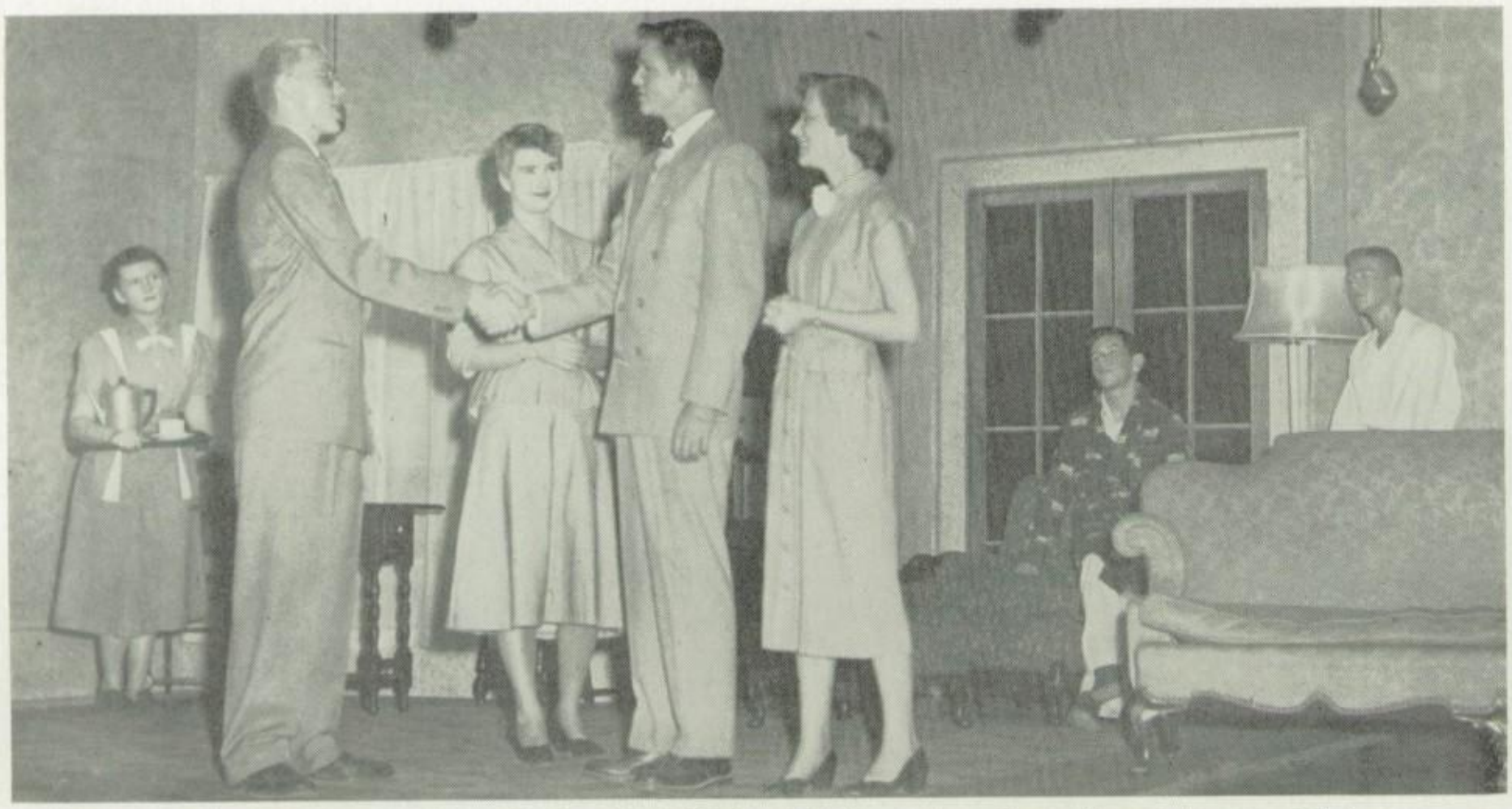


Sarah Nadler and LaVonne Harper displayed their creative abilities by winning first in state and second in district poetry contests respectively.

TOMAHAWKS

Tomahawks, a club in its first year of organization, was open to all high school students who were interested in creative writing. Meetings were spent writing and discussing poems, plays, essays, scripts, and letters.

Mr. Karl Anderson was sponsor.



Rhea Loris Ressler, Kelvin Moeller, Sarah Nadler, Bob Sauer, Anne Beem, Stewart Davis, and John Adix are caught by the cameraman in a scene from the fall play, **Father of the Bride**

"FATHER OF THE BRIDE"

Weddings are beautiful; that is, they're beautiful to everyone except Father. He finds that a simple wedding does not stop at a wedding dress, a preacher, and a church ceremony but includes everything from Buckingham caterers to finding a lost bridegroom. But as the hour grows near, things begin to shape, and Father's worries soon blossom into a delightful memory.

Tommy Banks.....Stewart Davis
Mr. Banks .....Kelvin Moeller
Mrs. Banks.....Sarah Nadler
Ben Banks.....John Adix
Kay Banks.....Anne Beem
Buckley Dunstan.....Bob Sauer
Delilah .....Rhea Loris Ressler
Miss Bellamy.....Diane Gillette
Buzz Taylor.....Bill Smoker
Peggy Swift.....Meriem Scholl
Mr. Missoula.....Larry Cornett
Joe .....Wayne Johnson
Red .....Jim Cagley
Pete .....Warren Fikejs
Tim's Girl .....Barbara Furgason
Mrs. Pulitski.....Jo Ann Walden

Dick Poe, Sue Kelly, Bill Geiger, Mary Schoonmaker, Jean Madill, Charles Solberg, Connie Ross, and Toby Blanford read through the first rehearsal of the spring play, **Smilin' Through.**

"SMILIN' THROUGH"

"Smilin' Through" portrays an ancient tragedy visited upon the heads of the younger generation. It deals with a tragedy fifty years back when a rejected suitor shot the woman he pretended to love on her wedding night. As the years pass, a boy and girl of the younger generation of these families fall in love. The spirit of the slain girl "Smilin' Through" was the highlight of the excellent drama, which was presented May 21 and 22 under the direction of Miss Ruth Wilson.

Sarah Wayne.....Sandra Winburn
Mary Clare.....Jean Madill
John Carteret.....Charles Solberg
Dr. Owen Harding.....Bill Geiger
Ellen .....Mary Schoonmaker
Kathleen Dungannon.....Sue Kelly
Willie Ainley.....Dick Poe
Kenneth Wayne.....Bob Sauer
Jeremiah Wayne.....Toby Blanford
Moonyeen Clare.....Connie Ross
Alicia .....Margaret Kolker

IN BLACK AND WHITE

Sarah Nadler, editor, Connie Ross, news editor, Steve Showers and Dick Poe, sports editors, consider possible improvements for future issues of the SPECTATOR.

Keeping the financial side of the SPECTATOR in order are Ann McLaughlin, business manager; LaVonne Harper, assistant editor; and Shirley McChesney, advertising manager.

SPECTATOR

The SPECTATOR staff, with Sarah Nadler as editor, informed the student body every two weeks of the latest happenings at West. A competent staff compiled features, sports, statistics and editorials for the students.

Cutting galleys, pasting, proofreading, rewriting, and soliciting ads are all scenes which were familiar in Room 11 where staff and faculty sponsor, Richard Carey, worked for bigger and better SPECTATORS.

SPECTATOR

Row 1: Damon Swanson, Mr. Richard Carey (advisor), Darlene Lohmeyer, Shirley McChesney, LaVonne Harper, Sarah Nadler, Rhea Loris Ressler, Connie Ross, Ann McLaughlin, Kay Lamb, Pat Edge

Row 2: LuAnn Ritter, Arlene Palmer, Donajo Lynch, June Moore, Judy O'Donnell, Nancy Modlin, Jean Molgren, Ann Watkins, Jane Bender, Margaret Kolker, Margaret Cerka, Pat Goecke, Emma Jean Burton, Carol Dumpman, Roberta Kenny, Lynne Dunkerton

Row 3: Kenlyn Cameron, Virginia Hushagen, Sylvia Webbeking, Betty Obadal, Sally Miller, Jean Madill, JoAnne Jensen, Kim McElhose, Carole Miller, Kathryn McDaniel, Sharon McCreedy, Diane Gillette, Carol Cook, Janet Broholm, Shirley Faye, Roberta Nelson

Row 4: Janet Stolt, Kathryn Werner, Joyce Shellenberger, Pat Jones, Sandra Schnur, Sandy Rowland, Sandra Nipper, Caryl Haberer, Carolyn Gilliland, Sandra Thieman, Joy Swanson, Pat Earles, Betty Busby, Marilyn Young, Luanne Hartman, Barbara Brown

Row 5: Sandy Quackenbush, Mary Ann Lowry, Mary Kestel, Jane Holt, Paul Sisson, Monte Castle, Russ Oleson, Dick Mahnke, Dick Poe, Stephen Showers, Bob Brandenburg, Sondra Croll, Jean Harwell, Denise Dennis, Kathryn McHugh, Joanne Shipley, Mary Schoonmaker, Karen Wylie

Absent from picture: Betty Acker, Wesley Bentrude, Jane Clark, Bill Geiger, Carole Hunger, Betty Meeker, Maxine Neubauer, Claudette Reed, Eva Kay Rutledge, Sharon Sanders, Diane Scholl, Jerry Seaman, Theileane Stevens, Lavonne Stopperan, Susan Wilson

ANNUAL

Row: 1: Barbara Klove, Mary Brennan, Jane Rowe, Jay Cohen, Nancy Booth, Terry Stevens, Anne Beem, Mary Hileman, Arlene Smith
Row 2: Helen Myers, Martha Addington, Karen Booth, Chardette Billman, Pat Griffith, Bonita Smith, Sue DeVeny, Carolyn Kolker, Claudia Willians
Row 3: Pauline Fell, Jean Petersen, Connie Smith, Virginia McRoberts, Marilyn Martin, Shirley Brooks, Karen Wylie, Ann Bluedorn, Joyce Buehrer, Pat Harrington
Row 4: Mr. Richard Carey (advisor), Carol Henning, Sharon Guernsey, Donna Schumann, Talea Meyer, Patty Johnson, Kitty Holmes, JoAnn Walden, Sue Raecker, Bonnie Mixdorf
Row 5: Edwin Jacobs, Gordon Fikejs, Sandra Winburn, Sonya Parrott, Dianne Claussen, Nancy Heldridge, Alice Roberts, Ann McDermott, Charles Solberg, Bernard Wilcox
Absent from picture: Janet Adams, Joan Grappendorf, Sunny Obert, Marilyn Port

WAHAWK

As the years go by, there is no better way to recall good times and fond memories than by leafing through the pages of an annual. This was the thought in the minds of the WAHAWK staff members as they planned and worked on a book that the students would enjoy having. Only by the complete co-operation of each member of the staff was this 1953 book created. Many hours outside of school, minor disagreements, give-and-take, cold suppers, occasional loss of tempers, cutting, pasting, and frayed nerves combined to bring you the record of your play from curtain call to finale. It is a treasure chest of memories — for you.

Mary Hileman, art editor, and Anne Beem, assistant editor, seem to be finding plenty of typing for Jane Rowe, copy chairman.

Terry Stevens, production manager, and Nancy Booth, editor, discuss the situation of the WAHAWK budget with business manager, Jay Cohen, as they plan the layout for the 1953 yearbook.

Arlene Smith, Bernard Wilcox, Mary Brennan, and Barbara Klove, annual picture chairmen, organize photos for senior pages.

Getting ready to leave for the I.H.S.P.A. meeting in Iowa City are Rhea Loris Ressler, LaVonne Harper, Connie Ross, Terry Stevens, Nancy Booth, and Mr. Carey.

LaVonne Harper and Nancy Booth glance through the issue of the Iowa **High School Journalist** which announces their election as presidents of I. H. S. P. A.

IOWA HIGH SCHOOL PRESS ASSOCIATION

The Iowa High School Press Association is an organization of high school journalists which offers critical service to student newspapers.

Five West High girls and Mr. Richard Carey attended its annual conference at the State University of Iowa last fall. In a general assembly of the 550 delegates, West was elected to provide a president of the I. H. S. P. A. for the year of 1952-1953. The advisory board of publications of West High chose Nancy Booth and LaVonne Harper to serve in that capacity. LaVonne will be in charge of the state meeting next fall.

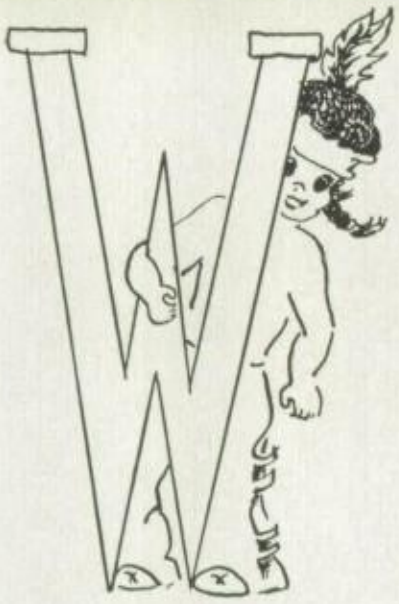
QUILL AND SCROLL

Quill and Scroll is an honorary high school journalistic society. West High's chapter was granted its charter in 1926 and since then has initiated about 170 members.

In order to qualify for membership, a Wahawk must do outstanding work on a student publication and be in the upper one-third of his class. Pins of the Quill and Scroll emblem are awarded to those who meet these requirements.

Those who received the award this year were as follows:

Nancy Booth	Barbara Klove	Jane Rowe
Mary Brennan	Shirley McChesney	Arlene Smith
Jay Cohen	Ann McLaughlin	Terry Stevens
Joan Grappendorf	Sarah Nadler	Damon Swanson
Mary Hileman	Connie Ross	



TOWARD THE GOLDEN W

TERPSICHOREA

Terpsichorea, named for the Goddess of Dancing, is an organization of girls with special talent and skill in modern dancing. Connie Ross headed the group, whose members took part in the dance assembly and variety show. Junior members of the group performed solo dances at Commencement.

PAVLOVIANS

A group similar to Terpsichorea, Pavlovians is a club which develops the skills of those girls interested in modern dancing. This organization also played an active part in "Lullaby Follies" and the preparation of the Commencement dance program. Sharon Woolhiser was president.

TAP

Wahawks are "taking to tap." This year the four instructors were responsible for the tapping toes of nearly 200 guys and gals. Their efforts resulted in the presentation of everything from simple time steps to catchy snycopated rhythm.

Mrs. Alta Emerson is sponsor of all three dance groups.

TAP INSTRUCTORS

Claudia Williams, Chardette Billman, Joyce Buehrer, Janet Adams

TERPSICHOREA

Sitting: Iva Jane McKinley, Ann Watkins

Kneeling: Joyce Buehrer, Sandra Whannel

Standing: Marilyn Port, Donna Schumann, Connie Ross, Bonnie Mixdorf, Sandy Seibert

PAVLOVIANS

Row 1: Nancy Cobb, Judy O'Donnell, Donajo Lynch, JoAnne Oltrogge, Sharon Woolhiser, Chardette Billman, Emma Jean Burton, Shirley McChesney
Row 2: Lavonne Stopperan, Mabryn McClelland, Betty Obadal, Roberta Kenny, Barbara Junger, Martha Addington, Sharon Guernsey, Jean Petersen
Row 3: Marion Aukes, Margaret Kolker, Janet Pratt, Janice Hagy, Arlene Smith, Betty Acker, Denise Dennis, Connie Smith
Row 4: Sue Snyder, Patricia Harrington, Kathryn Werner, Barbara Norris, Beverly Perkins, Kitty Holmes, Terry Stevens, Sue Kelly, Carol Cook
Absent from picture: Janet Adams, Sally Miller

MAKE-UP COMMITTEE

Row 1: Kay Lamb, Sharon McCreedy, June Thompsen, Connie Ross, Jean Molgren, Kim McElhose, Roberta Kenny, Joyce Shellenberger, Margaret Kolker, Valerie Green

Row 2: Sandra Schnur, Roberta Nelson, Sandra Thieman, Ruth Thompson, Jean Madill, Mary Rooff, Shirley Bebout, Marilyn Martin, Dorothy Hugh, Doris Thomsen, Marilyn Murphy

Row 3: Miss Jane Parrish (advisor), Janet Broholm, Ruby Simpson, Sonya Parrott, Terry Stevens, Sondra Croll, Christine Schultz, Denise Dennis, Betty Busby, Jean Harwell, Betty Acker, Carol Hansen

Absent from picture: Diane Gillette, Kay Kassner, June Moore, Sunny Obert, Donna Saylor, Joy Swanson

MAKE-UP COMMITTEE

Thanks to the make-up committee, there never was a "paleface" on our Wahawk stage. Grease paint, rouge, and lipstick helped to brighten the faces of all who appeared in school productions. A lot of credit is due this committee which, under the direction of Miss Jane Parrish, made up all the "squaws" and "chiefs" in each West production this year.

COSTUME COMMITTEE

West High productions wouldn't click if it weren't for the costume committee. This committee, under the student chairmanship of Kathryn McHugh, was responsible for making, begging, or borrowing all costumes for each production at West. It has done a wonderful job this year with the help of the faculty advisors, Miss Adalene Wagner and Miss Gladys Grabe.

COSTUME COMMITTEE

Row 1: Sherrill Reynolds, Arlene Palmer, Thieleane Stevens, Karen Booth, Sharon McCreedy, Kathryn McHugh, Shirley Faye, Sandra Schnur, Valerie Green, Pat Olds

Row 2: Miss Gladys Grabe (advisor), Diane Broessel, Jean Geary, Emma Jean Burton, Ann Watkins, Janet Pratt, Barbara Klove, Martha Addington, June Thomsen, Jane Clark, Ann Bluedorn

Row 3: Joyce Branson, Ruth Walther, Karen Wylie, Shirley Gardner, Ann McDermott, Kitty Holmes, Sharon Sanders, Mary Jean DeHaven, Donna Meek, Mary Brennan, Rhea Loris Ressler

Row 4: Loyce Lehmkuhl, Ann McLaughlin, Sue Kelly, Sylvia Webbeking, Terry Stevens, Joanne Shipley, Eugene Hadwiger, Christine Schultz, Nancy Heldridge, Sue Raecker, Darlene Lohmeyer

Absent from picture: Virginia Bebout, Betty Busby, Sondra Croll, Carole Ganung, Carol Gibson, Carol Hansen, Luanne Hartman, Natalie Hotchkiss, Pat Jones, Sandra Quackenbush, Cordell Rasmussen, Roger Richardson, Meriem Scholl

LIGHT CREW

Working behind the scenes to make every West High production a success was the light crew. These boys deserve a lot of credit for their hard work on variety show, spring and fall plays, musical productions, Christmas program, and student assemblies.

Jim Wheeler served as group chairman and Mr. Lyle Anderson as sponsor.

LIGHT CREW

Row 1: Vernon Hastings, John Windolf, Gene Hoeg, Lyle Hutchins, Jay Cohen
Row 2: Wayne Jackson, Jim Sisson, Bernard Wilcox, Dick Forrester
Row 3: Mr. Lyle Anderson (advisor), Leslie Beasley, Larry Olsen, Bill Ogle, John Beem
Row 4: Jim Wheeler, Dick Barck, Lyle Rachuy

MAD MASTERS

Row 1: Virginia Hushagen, Mr. Charles Downs (advisor), Janice Hagy
Row 2: Lynka Gruver, June Thomsen, Mary Schoonmaker, Betty Acker, LuAnn Ritter, Jane Hoffman
Row 3: Denise Dennis, Chris Schultz, Jo Anne Bagenstos, Barbara Norris, Aline Grove
Absent from picture: Joyce Branson, Janice Hastings, Carol Rourke, Helga Schwab

MAD MASTERS

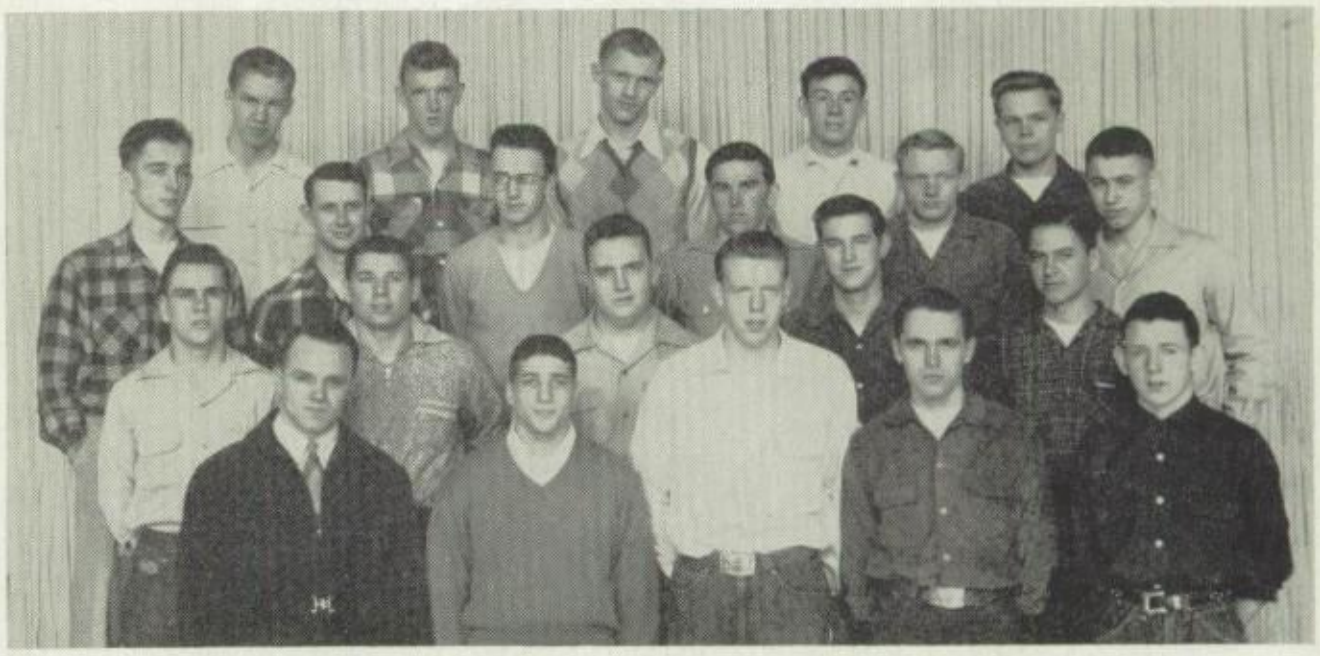
Mad Masters, a newly-organized art club, became a well-known group this year. Its membership was open to anyone interested in art. Outstanding project of the year was the variety show stage. Also commendable were the jobs done cleaning up the art room and presenting Abe Lincoln's statue with a birthday present — a new coat of paint.

Virginia Hushagen presided over the group, which was sponsored by Mr. Charles Downs.

STAGECRAFTERS

One group West High could not get along without is the Stagecrafters. To them goes the credit for stage construction for the variety show, plays, and Christmas program.

The faculty sponsor, Mr. Don Wieland, worked closely with the president, Bill Menefee; vice-president, Jay Cohen; and recorder, Dale RuLon, for an excellent year.



STAGECRAFTERS

Row 1: Mr. Don Wieland (advisor), Jay Cohen, Dale RuLon, Bill Menefee, Jim Townsend
Row 2: Harold Clough, Weston Thomas, Richard Hiller, Don Hubbard, Ronald Wood
Row 3: Robert Colby, Carl Leavell, Norman Scott, Ronald Stuber, Jim Sisson, John Windolf
Row 4: Howard Ehlert, Otto Miller, Jim Tharp, Fred Debe, Dick Pries
Absent from picture: Lawrence Clough

ATHLETIC OFFICE ASSISTANTS
Seated: Shirley Lee Gardner, Jean Cook
Standing: Diane Scholl, Iva Jane McKinley
Absent from picture: Claudia Williams

ATHLETIC OFFICE ASSISTANTS

Helping Mr. Strobridge in the athletic office were students whose duties were to assist with athletic records, type reports, and act as secretaries for West on material concerning the Iowa High School Athletic Association.

ATTENDANCE OFFICE ASSISTANTS

Keeping the attendance records accurate and up-to-date requires the help of some students. Miss Dorothy Wilson chose four to help her this year. With their help she also had time to teach English.

ATTENDANCE OFFICE ASSISTANTS
JoAnn Walden, Marilyn Grabinski, Carol Gibson, Lyle Rachuy

MAIN OFFICE ASSISTANTS
Judy McKim, Kim McElhose, Ann Bluedorn, Shirley Bebout, Jo Ann Stark, Mary Schoonmaker, Dorothy Switzer, Sharon Guernsey

MAIN OFFICE ASSISTANTS

"All-round helpers" is the best name we can give to the girls who were the main office assistants. Delivering messages, running errands, and doing miscellaneous jobs, kept them busy an hour each day.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES OFFICE ASSISTANTS

Acting as ex-officio members of the Student Senate, giving Kuder Tests, taking care of the financial details of the student activities office, and helping college representatives to schedule conferences with students kept the assistants to the student advisor, Miss Faith Kurtzweil, busy two periods each day.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES OFFICE ASSISTANTS
Bill Ogle, Eugene Hadwiger

STUDY HALL CHAIRMEN
Row 1: Lyle Rachuy, Dick Mahnke
Row 2: Gary Hayes, Dick Bothun, Dell Bernstein, Jim Rich, Dick Ford, Bernard Wilcox
Absent from picture: Vernon Buchan, Lawrence Clough, Stan Smith

STUDY HALL CHAIRMEN

One boy from each study hall period was chosen to serve as chairman. These boys took attendance, were responsible for the students' checking in and out, and kept the study hall in a quiet and orderly condition for study.

LIBRARY ASSISTANTS

Each semester Mrs. Uban chose some students to help her keep the library running smoothly. Issuing and shelving books and checking students in and out were their main duties.

LIBRARY ASSISTANTS
Row 1: Diane Scholl, Ruth Schnur, Nancy Smith, LaVonne Treichel, Sandra Schnur, Diane Gillette
Row 2: Denise Dennis, Roger Richardson, Bill Love, Bruce Miller, Damon Swanson, Dick Barck
Absent from picture: Barbara Breitsprecher, Larry Crowe, Marvin Neidt, Tom Purdon, Gayle Rarick

HOMEMAKING ASSISTANTS

The homemaking assistants answered the telephone in the model apartments and ran errands for the homemaking teachers.

HOMEMAKING ASSISTANTS
Left to right: Carol Rourke, Annette Staudt, Thieleane Stevens, Karen Booth (seated)
Absent from picture: Sharon Woolhiser and Gery Ann Bronson

STADIUM ASSISTANTS
Left to right: Fred Debe, Jane Rowe, Ken Knutson, and Darlene Lohmeyer

STADIUM ASSISTANTS

Assisting Mr. Baker with the details in the instrumental department were four band members who spent their free period each day in the stadium office.

NURSES' ASSISTANTS
Left to right: Shirley McChesney, Barbara Klove, Sandra Leighton, JoAnn Walden, and Mrs. Redmond
Absent from picture: Gretchen Todd

NURSES' ASSISTANTS

Four girls served as assistants to the school nurse, Mrs. Redmond. Their duties included helping with simple chemical tests, keeping accurate health records, and typing reports.

103 ASSISTANTS

Left to right: Sherrill Reynolds, Sonya Parrott, Bonnie Guyer, Diane Broessel

103 ASSISTANTS

During the past year, Room 103 was used as an extra study hall for small groups who wanted to study together. Assistants served in a similar capacity to that of study hall chairmen.

105 ASSISTANTS

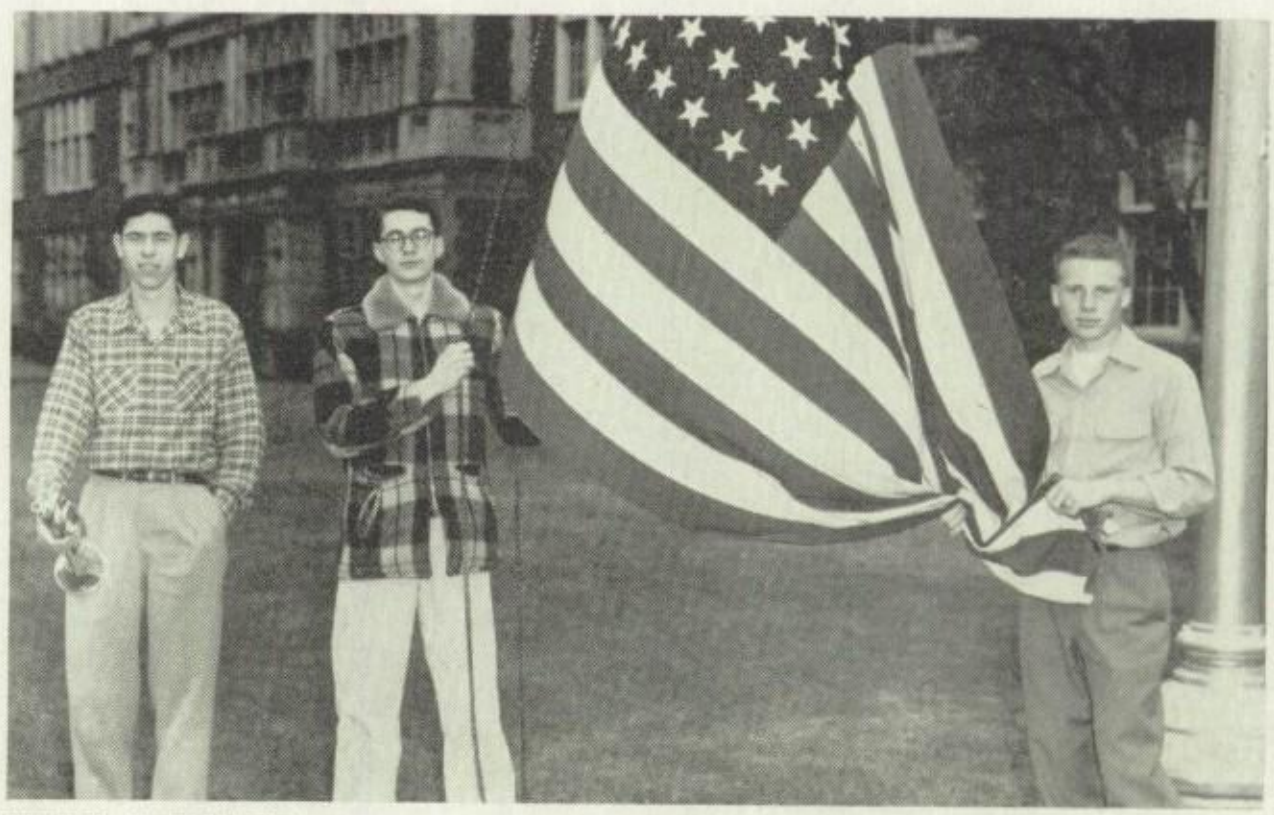
English assistants spent one hour each day in Room 105 typing and serving as right hand gals for Miss Wagner, head of the English department.

105 ASSISTANTS

Left to right: Jane Clark, Mary Jean DeHaven, Audrey Warren

FLAG SERVICE

Boys who deserve much credit for a job well done are those three who took care of flag raising and lowering each day. They left classes at a moment's notice to bring "Old Glory" in from threatening rain.



FLAG SERVICE

Left to right: Jim Wheeler, Wayne Johnson, Bill Ogle
Absent from picture: Lyle Rachuy

TOWEL ASSISTANTS

Row 1: Pat Olds, Thieleane Stevens, Judy Baker, Sharon Potts, Pat Earles, Karen Wylie, Annette Staudt, Verna Dean Dietz, Carol Dumpman, Marian Aukes, Claudia Williams

Row 2: Bob Grappendorf, John Beem, Carol Hoppenworth, Gvonne Cook, Marie Lorenzen, Marilyn Finger, Sylvia Webbeking, Sue Raecker, Sandra Schnur, Marvin Neidt, Mr. E. G. Strobridge (advisor)

Row 3: Roger Cochran, Hank Rueling, Steve Turner, Jim Rich, Darrell Conway, Bob Larson, Don Roeder, Howard Ehlert, Arnold Vidis, Roger Smith, Bob Merfeld

Absent from picture: Marlene Bown, Jerry Kraft, Darlene Lohmeyer, Ruth McCord, Kathryn McDaniels, Marilyn Port, Sandy Quackenbush, Ruth Rush

MOVIE OPERATORS

Row 1: Miss Marie Shellard (advisor), Francis Cousins, Leslie Beasley, Lyle Rachuy, Jim Wheeler, Al Gaskell, Roger Jeys, Harry Brant

Row 2: Lyle Hutchins, Gordon Balvanz, Bill Geiger, Bob Kubik, Edwin Jacobs, Rollo Moe, Vernon Hastings, Rollie Gorman

Row 3: Roger Cochran, Monte Castle, Larry Olsen, Ronald Jolls, Jim Tharp, David Parsons, Dell Bernstein, Bob Bitterly

Absent from picture: John Bonner, Bob Daniels, Gene Horner, Dick Schmadeke, Dennis Sommer

TOWEL SERVICE

Those students seen carrying huge stacks of towels to and from the physical education classes are the towel assistants. These faithful students see that each physical education class during the day is furnished with towels. After class they collect the towels and recount them.

This is a voluntary service which takes away a daily study hall. Service points are awarded for this task.

Mrs. Alta Emerson and Mr. Glenn Strobridge are the instructors of the physical education classes to whom the towel assistants are responsible.

MOVIE OPERATORS

The motion picture operators, under the direction of Miss Marie Shellard, performed a great service for the teachers of our school. By having the boys operate the machines, the teachers were relieved of this responsibility.

Serving in a voluntary capacity, motion picture operators gave up their study halls to run the machines. The two chief supervisors of this group were Jim Wheeler and Lyle Rachuy.

The school owns three motion picture machines which were in almost constant use, proving that visual aids are popular teaching devices at West High School.

STADIUM USHERS

Assisting with the ushering at stadium affairs was a group of boys under the direction of Miss Lucille Nash. These boys, with their pleasing "hello's," rendered their services in all kinds of weather to serve the patrons at the football games. They also ushered for the Commencement program.

AUDITORIUM USHERS

Guests at school productions received friendly welcomes from the Ushers' Club. Besides their participation in school performances, the girls assisted in ushering at some of the civic programs held at West.

Miss Clara Hansmeier sponsored the club, whose membership included approximately 40 girls.

STADIUM USHERS

Row 1: Jay Cohen, Jack Connolly, John Beem, Bill Geiger, John Windolf, John Timm, Damon Swanson, Miss Lucille Nash (advisor)

Row 2: Norman Scott, Harold Kohls, Darrell Conway, Howard Ehlert, Bob Richeson, Jim Rich, Gene Reed, Jim Townsend

Row 3: Wayne Johnson, Jack Curran, Paul Porter, Dick Barck, John Adix, LeRoy Orth, Marvin Neidt

Absent from picture: Jerry Kraft, Lloyd Lane

AUDITORIUM USHERS

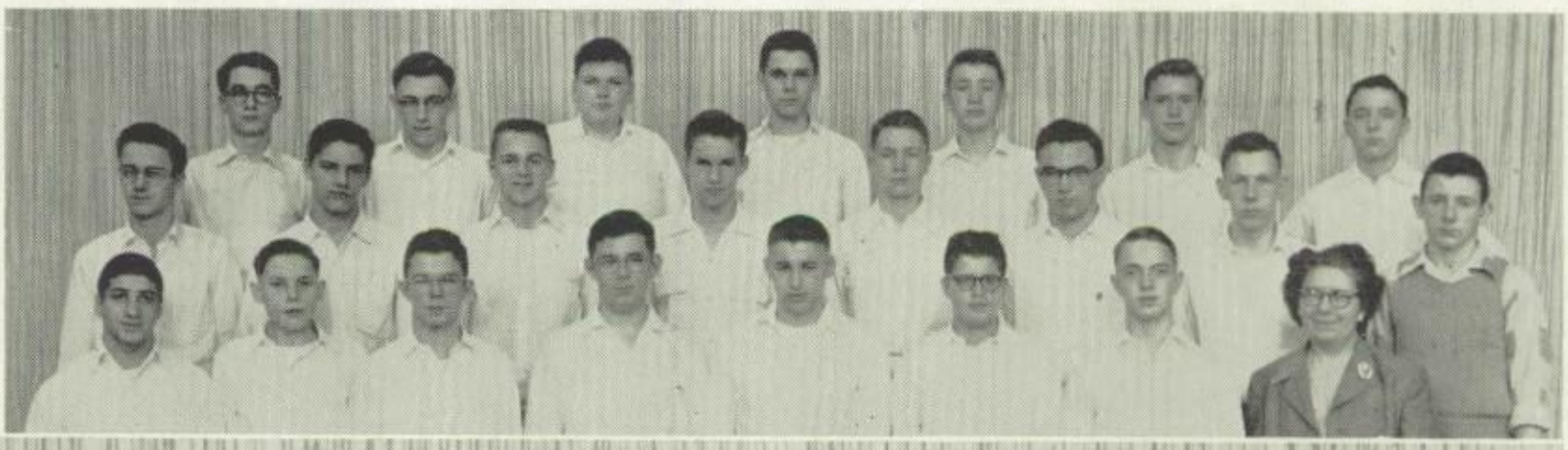
Row 1: Miss Clara Hansmeier (advisor), Sherrill Reynolds, Arlene Palmer, Joyce Hellman, Sue DeVeny, Kim McElhose, Valerie Green, Jane Rowe, Claudia Williams

Row 2: Iva Jane McKinley, Janet Neidt, Lavonne Stopperan, Jean Madill, Jean Molgren, Joyce Shellenberger, Marilyn Martin, Emma Jean Burton, Chardette Billman

Row 3: Sandy Quackenbush, Barbara Klove, Joy Christensen, Ruth Schnur, Darlene Geiger, Pat Earles, Patricia Harrington, Joyce Buehrer, Bonnie Mixdorf

Row 4: Sonya Parrott, Mary Brennan, JoAnn Walden, Diane Claussen, Olive Ann Eden, Carol Gibson, Alice Roberts, Sue Snyder, Sharon Woolhiser, Donna Schumann

Absent from picture: Virginia Bebout, Marlene Bown, Mary Jean DeHaven, Natalie Hotchkiss, Carole Hunger, Claudette Reed, Jo Ann Stark



LOOKING AHEAD

Through the future clubs at West, students were given an opportunity to acquire an insight into the careers which may be of special interest to them. The purpose of clubs of this type was to acquaint members with every angle of their possible future fields and to prepare them for worthwhile careers. Speakers, discussions, movies, and field trips were some of the ends by which students were familiarized with the fields of their choice.

FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS OF AMERICA

F. B. L. A., sponsored by Miss Bessie Young, is affiliated with the United Business Education Association at Washington, D. C. It is a club designed to acquaint students with the different phases of business, to prepare them for a useful occupation, and to carry on that occupation in a manner that will bring the greatest good to the greatest number of people. During the year, they made field trips to The Iowa Public Service Company, Black's, Waterloo Savings Bank, and other smaller businesses.

F. B. L. A.

Row 1: Lavonne Stopperan, Olive Anne Eden, Audrey Warren, Marilyn Tonne, Donna Rae Meek, Pat Kiefer, Miss Bessie Young (advisor)

Row 2: Sandra Guernsey, Mabryn McClelland, Delores Wittenburg, Mary Saint, Carolyn Gilliland, Helen Myers, Darlene Geiger, Janet Dieckmann, Natalie Hotchkiss, Valerie Green, Sandra Leighton

Row 3: Gery Ann Bronson, Barbara Lindsey, Nancy Jo Pfeifer, Celeste McIntyre, Joyce Shellenberger, Shirley Brooks, Kay Lamb, Sandy Quackenbush, Talea Meyer, Betty Driscoll, Carol Hansen, Kathleen Morrow

Row 4: Sharon Young, Virginia McRoberts, Pat Griffith, Ruth Thompson, Anne Beem, Carolyn Holmes, Ann McDermott, Carol Henning, Janet Broholm, Pat Jones, Maxine Neubauer

Row 5: Diane Claussen, LaVonne Harper, Yvonne Terhark, Marilyn Port, Betty Obadal, Marilyn Grabinski, Kathryn McDaniel, Karen Eastin, Sondra Croll, Eva Kay Rutledge, Joanne Heichel

Absent from picture: Virginia Bebout, Sue DeVeny, Jo Ann Stark

F. N. C.

Row 1: Barbara Klove, Jackie Lobdell, Mary Brennan, Jean Madill, Normajean Cochran, Shirley Faye, Connie Ross, Jean Molgren
Row 2: Mrs. Alta Emerson (advisor), Marilyn Tonne, Ruth Rush, Arlene Palmer, Joyce Westendorf, Donna Lee Rachuy, Sandra Havens, Claudia Williams, Shirley McChesney, Jane Rowe, Martha Addington, Arlene Forbes
Row 3: Beverly Rae Francis, Ruth Schnur, LaVonne Treichel, Talea Meyer, Cordell Rasmussen, Virginia McRoberts, Kim McElhose, Joyce Buehrer, Joyce Shellenberger, Carol Hoppenworth, Pat Olds
Row 4: Beverly Penning, Ruth Walther, Gery Ann Bronson, Sonya Parrott, Lynne Dunkerton, Patty Johnson, Pauline Fell, Carol Henning, Ann McDermott, Kathryn McDaniel, Shirley Miller
Row 5: Sharon Bearbower, Marilyn Young, Mary Quackenbush, Beverly Perkins, Joanne Shipley, Yvonne Terhark, Shirley Jacobsen, Carol Rooff, Nancy Heldridge, Sue Raecker, JoAnn Walden, Martha Schults
Absent from picture: Sue DeVeny, Carole Hunger, Claudette Reed, Nancy Schaan, Helen Snyder, Luella Sullivan, Bonnie Tuman, Mrs. Redmond

FUTURE NURSES' OF AMERICA

This year's Future Nurses' Club was composed of 65 junior and senior girls who were interested in exploring the field of nursing and possibly in becoming nurses. Faculty advisors were Mrs. Mildred Redmond, R. N., and Mrs. Alta Emerson, physical education teacher.

Meetings included many well-qualified speakers, a field trip to the Mental Health Institute in Independence, and investigation and reports of nursing schools. The girls assisted with T. B. patch tests and a survey of teeth in the junior high school.

Officers were Jean Madill, president; Mary Brennan, vice-president; and Normajean Cochran, secretary-treasurer.

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

Exploring the field of teaching and its opportunities were West High's Future Teachers of America. This club, organized in 1950, is affiliated with the National Education Association. Miss Clara Hansmeier and Mrs. Alta Emerson served as faculty sponsors. Officers were Nancy Booth, president; Sarah Nadler, vice-president; and Ann McLaughlin, secretary-treasurer.

Outstanding speakers from the Waterloo Public School System included Miss Evelyn Peterson, director of elementary education; Dr. Ralph Austermiller, director of curriculum; and Miss Glenda Mabrey, visiting teacher. Senior members took part in a visitation program in the Waterloo elementary schools.

F. T. A.

Row 1: Mrs. Alta Emerson (advisor), Kim McElhose, Sarah Nadler, Nancy Booth, Ann McLaughlin, Ann McDermott, Gretchen Todd, Miss Clara Hansmeier (advisor)
Row 2: Jackie Merritt, Roberta Kenny, Donna Lee Rachuy, Diane Scholl, Ann Jochumsen, Natalie Hotchkiss, Virginia Hushagen, Ann Watkins, Arlene Palmer, Susan Wilson
Row 3: Mary Schoonmaker, Patty Johnson, Marilyn Martin, Mary Jean DeHaven, Joy Christensen, Audrey Warren, Jane Rowe, Janet Broholm, Rhea Loris Ressler, Sonya Parrott
Row 4: Terry Stevens, Luanne Hartman, Sylvia Grassfield, Sharon Sanders, Joanne Shipley, Carol Gibson, Chris Schultz, Bonnie Mixdorf, Carole Miller, Sunny Obert, Carole Fox
Absent from picture: Carol Akers, Barbara Cover, Betty Driscoll, Kathryn McHugh, Sherrill Reynolds, Gloria Strom

HI-Y

Row 1: Mr. Lewis Huff (advisor), Jack Koehn, Paul Koloc, Larry Cornett, Bob Keiper, Gordon Moser, Dale Huff, Don Roeder, Vernon Hastings, Warren Fikejs, Max Boller, David Lawrence, Larry Moser

Row 2: Howard Cohrt, Gaylen Trasamar, Bill Geiger, Jim Anderson, Tom Anderson, Bob Bitterly, Don Holder, Gary Todd, John Wayne, Bob Grappendorf, Tom Winder, Tom Purdon, Gene Reed

Row 3: Steve Turner, Hank Reuling, Bill Love, Steve Peterson, Bob Merfeld, Lauren Jessen, Jack Lane, R. J. Stemmerman, Grove Garrison, Dick Lynes, Craig Cooper, Jerry Seaman

Row 4: Craig Campbell, John Mahler, Bill Miller, Jim Cagley, Dick Poe, Bill Elliott, Howard Ehlert, Jim Young, Bob Wheeler, Paul Sisson, Dave Knott, John Adix, Paul Porter, Lee Shaffer

Absent from picture: Fred Debe, Gayle Rarick, Bob Sauer, Ronald Sturch

HI-Y

The purpose of Hi-Y is expressed in its motto: "Clean Speech, Clean Sportsmanship, Clean Scholarship, and Clean Living."

The fifty West High boys composing this club met each week at the Y. M. C. A. Officers for the year included Dale Huff, president; Bob Keiper, vice-president; Don Roeder, secretary-treasurer; and Gordon Moser, chaplain.

Under the sponsorship of Mr. Lewis Huff, the club undertook several successful projects, among which was participation in the Youth in Government Program at Des Moines. Four boys, Hank Rueling, Bob Merfeld, Don Roeder, and Dale Huff, gained two days of actual experience in their visit to the Iowa Legislature. Another event was a dance after an East-West basketball game, which was a success both financially and socially.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB

West High's Friendship Club, working side by side with the Y. W. C. A., promoted true friendship among girls of all races and religions. All West High girls were eligible for membership. Meetings were held once each month, and under the sponsorship of Miss Lucille Nash and Miss Gladys Grabe, the girls enjoyed programs and speakers of various types. Officers included Terry Stevens, president; Gretchen Todd, vice-president; Anne Beem, secretary; and Betty Busby, treasurer.

Many Friendship functions were closely affiliated with "Y" activities. West participated in the annual "Hanging of the Greens." Good will was extended to a needy family through the Family Service League, and money was sent to the Community Chest at Thanksgiving time. Another helping hand was extended during the Christmas holidays by the donation of canned goods to worthy families.

FRIENDSHIP

Row 1: Miss Gladys Grabe (advisor), Connie Smith, Arlene Palmer, June Moore, Carol Rourke, Helga Schwab, Ann Watkins, Judy O'Donnell, Claudia Williams

Row 2: Barbara Tubandt, Pat Olds, Sandra Thieman, Mary Rooff, Janis Millett, Joan Marquand, Jackie Merritt, Connie Ross, Arlene Smith, Janet Pratt, Nancy Modlin

Row 3: Sandra Schnur, Donna Schumann, Roberta Nelson, Sonya Parrott, Lillian Sterner, Mary Schoonmaker, Joyce Shellenberger, Betty Obadal, Ruth Thompson, Ruth Schnur, Talea Meyer

Row 4: Sylvia Webbeking, Barbara Norris, Nancy Jo Pfeifer, Sally Miller, Rhea Loris Ressler, Alice Roberts, Marilyn Port, Sue Raecker, Sunny Obert, Gloria Strom, Karen Wylie

Row 5: Carole Miller, Marilyn Young, Kathryn Werner, Sandra Nipper, Yvonne Terhark, Audrey Warren, Donna Rae Meek, Sharon Sanders, Martha Monger, Joanne Shipley, Sandy Seibert

FRIENDSHIP

Row 1: Lavonne Stopperan, Diane Scholl, Anne Beem, Terry Stevens, Gretchen Todd, Jean Molgren, Betty Busby, Jean Madill, Miss Lucille Nash (advisor)

Row 2: Carol Cook, Pat Brown, Margaret Manley, Carolyn Kolker, Ann Jochumsen, Barbara Harken, Natalie Hotchkiss, Ann Bluedorn, Patricia Goecke, Emma Jean Burton, Patricia Donath, Sandra Davis, Shirley Graf, Valerie Green, Nancy Booth

Row 3: Pat Kiefer, JoAnne Jensen, Darlene Geiger, Kay Lamb, Jane Bender, Sharon McCreedy, Mary Kestel, Mary Jean DeHaven, Darlene Lohmeyer, Luanne Hartman, Florence Lehman, Karen Booth, Marilyn Martin, Mabryn McClelland, Carolyn Holmes

Row 4: Jackie Lobdell, Kim McElhose, Barbara Klove, Ann McDermott, Roberta Kenny, Barbara Junger, Patty Johnson, Joy Christensen, Shirley Bebout, Carol Henning, Barbara Brown, Janet Broholm, Carole Fox, Jean Cook, Joyce Branson, Carol Gibson

Row 5: Shirley Faye, Ann McLaughlin, Kitty Holmes, Sue Kelly, Mary Hileman, Nancy Heldridge, Jean Harwell, Sylvia Grassfield, Mary Galloway, Sondra Croll, Olive Anne Eden, Mary Brennan, Denise Dennis, Aline Grove, Janice Hagy

Absent from picture: Joan Grappendorf, Patsy Rooff, JoAnn Stark, Joan Stecher, Lillian Sterner

BIBLE CLUB

Row 1: Mrs. Mae Keiber (advisor), Marilyn Murphy, Gerry Hileman, Ruth Thompson, Joan Cnossen, Evangeline Payton, Carolyn Gilliland, Renee Strozzi, Mary Saint

Row 2: Barbara Cover, LaVonne Harper, Janet Broholm, Maryanne Secrest, Peggy Craven, Marilyn Grabinski, Marilyn Murray, Talea Meyer, Lynne Dunkerton

Row 3: Cecilia Holkeboer, Wesley Bentrude, Jim Wheeler, Ronald Jolls, Leslie Beasley, Dave Briden, Glen Lehman, Anne Beem

Absent from picture: Normajean Cochran, Kay Corson, Diane Gillette, Ron Henry, Beverly Holdridge, Darlene Lohmeyer, Carol Matthias, Rollo Moe, June Moore, Carl Morgan, Ruth Mountain, Virginia Norton, Beverly Perkins, Charlotte Peterson, Lila Quackenbush, Virginia Saint, Nancy Scott, Janet Stolt, Eugene Swanson, Joy Swanson, Shirley Warrens

BIBLE CLUB

Jim Wheeler handed the gavel to Wesley Bentrude at the close of the first semester, turning over his duties as president of Bible Club.

This year the club's enrollment has increased immensely, with the present active membership about sixty.

Mrs. Mae Keiber, the club's sponsor, helped Lynn Dunkerton and LaVonne Harper, program chairmen, in securing interesting speakers and a variety of programs for the club's noon meetings.

KAPPA GAMMA PI

Row 1: Donna Lee Rachuy, Ruth Schnur, Miss Beatrice Zeuch (advisor), Dennis Melchert, Ann McLaughlin, Jay Cohen, John Beem, Marilyn Young, Dick Barck, Barbara Klove, Nancy Booth

Row 2: Sandra Whannel, Rhea Loris Ressler, Nancy Scott, Carolyn Gilliland, Sandra Havens, Ann Jochumsen, Connie Cohrt, Jean Molgren, Denise Dennis, Betty Busby, Barbara Brown

Row 3: Marilyn Murray, LaVonne Harper, Janet Broholm, Olive Anne Eden, Ann McDermott, Sue Kelly, Carol Cook, Sandra Schnur, Cecilia Holkeboer, Lynne Dunkerton, Luanne Hartman, Marilyn Brown, Carolyn Holmes, Jane Bender

Row 4: Barbara Cover, Dianne Claussen, Damon Swanson, Wesley Bentrude, Dick Poe, David Knott, Jim Young, Wayne Johnson, Jerry Seaman, Bob Grappendorf, Dale Huff

Absent from picture: Joan Grappendorf, June Moore, Sunny Obert, Charles Phelps, Jo Ann Stark, Marilyn Tonne

KAPPA GAMMA PI

Kappa Gamma Pi, a student honorary society, had a membership of 47 this year. Its objective was to promote higher scholarship among the student body. In order to belong to the organization, students must have maintained an average grade point of 3.4 for three consecutive semesters.

Presidents were Jay Cohen and John Beem first and second semesters respectively. Miss Beatrice Zeuch was faculty sponsor.

T & I

Row 1: Mr. Donald Lippold (advisor), Duane Blough, Chuck Willett, Roger Beck, Bill Hall, Carl Leavell, Ronald Wood, Jack Minehart

Row 2: Bill Menefee, Richard Hiller, Kenny Trost, Jack Sandhagen, Larry Klein, Dick Ford, Gary Yarrington, Gary Fish

Row 3: Weston Thomas, Dean Davis, Ronnie Fell, Don Bartlett, Don Hubbard, Roger Henry, Jim Quinn, Otto Miller, Robert Colby

Absent from picture: Jerry Martin and Bill Winder

T & I AND CO-OP

Already on the road to future professions are the T & I and Co-op students. By working half-days, they received beneficial and practical experience for later life. The other half-days were spent attendinig school in order to maintain their academic levels.

Through this program, students were able to earn money while they learned and had a chance to look into a probable profession.

MORNING CO-OP

Row 1: Bernadine Jones, Phyllis Schauer, Violet Dickson

Row 2: Joan Grappendorf, Gretchen Todd, Jere Reisinger

Row 3: Virginia Bebout, Jo Ann Stark, Miss Pauline Dryden (advisor), Phyllis Niemeyer

CO-OP

Row 1: Fay Hutchins, Rozella Lawrence, Mary Knief, Pat Dietz, Evelyn Falaris, Shirley Graf, Luella Sullivan, Joyce Westendorf, Margie Ann Rinker

Row 2: Miss Helen Knoche (advisor), Marlene Westergaard, Alta Jones, Peggy Craven, Cheryl Huntington, Nancy Smith, Janice Burch, Marlys Brunscheon, Kathy Brocka

Row 3: Ruth Rush, Bonnie Tuman, Norma Padden, Sharon Bearbower Olive Anne Eden, Normajean Cochran, Helen Snyder, Joyce Eicher, Donna Harrenstein

Row 4: Rex Davis, Bob Daniels, Don Hartman, Jack Mussett, Allen Tarr, Jim Beinke, Dave Quinlan, Gordon Fikejs, Dennis Melchert

Absent from picture: Nancy Francis, Jayne Gallaher, ElRheta Mountain, Sally Patmore

THE GAVEL FALLS

CAMERA CLUB

Camera Club, organized for the purpose of studying photography, was sponsored by Mr. Johnson. At the meetings talks were given by several professional photographers on methods and technique of picture taking and developing, and members showed colored slides of their vacations.

THERMALIERS

Thermaliers was a club of boys who were interested in model airplanes and their construction. Meetings were spent constructing planes for contest entry.

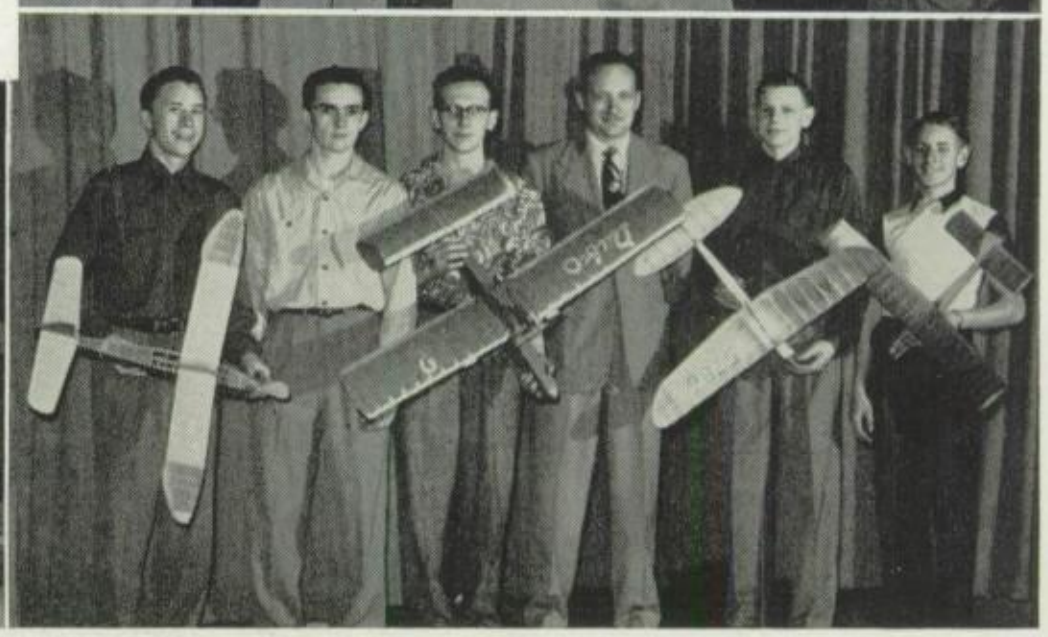
Mr. Marvin Easter sponsored Thermaliers.

STARGAZERS

The Stargazers' bi-monthly meetings were spent studying the constellations, their positions, and their behavior. On clear nights the group was able to go to the Byrnes Park telescope to study the stars. Miss Viola Smith was sponsor.

STARGAZERS

Left to right: Gilbert Clemens, Dell Bernstein, Damon Swanson, Bernard Wilcox, Miss Viola Smith (advisor), LeRoy Lamb



CAMERA CLUB

Row 1: Mike Lane, Bernard Wilcox, Al Gaskell, Gordon Fikejs, Dick Lukes

Row 2: Edwin Jacobs, Russ Oleson, Mr. Robert Johnson (advisor), Dick Barck, Monte Castle

THERMALIERS

Left to right: Don Oleson, Jack Deibert, Bruce Miller, Mr. Easter (sponsor), George Swanson, LeRoy Satterlee

French Conversation Club
Talking things over in French are the members of the newly-organized French Conversation Club.

Latin Club
Here we see Latin students planning their annual Roman banquet.

Spanish Club
Spanish students take time to relax from their class work and "smile at the birdie."

French Club
Parlez vous francais? These girls are planning their "dream" trips to France.

German Club
The members of this German class look as though they really enjoy their subject.

OUR BOYS WILL SHINE

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

Row 1: Donna Schumann, Joyce Shellenberger, Sandra Whannel

Row 2: Iva Jane McKinley, Chardette Billman, Joanne Oltrogge, Bonnie Mixdorf, Janet Adams

SOPHOMORE CHEERLEADERS

Betty Busby, Betty Acker, Margaret Kolker, Margaret Cerka, Pat Edge

Cheering Wahawks on to victory were the eight varsity cheerleaders. These peppy girls, led by captain Janet Adams, in white letter sweaters and pleated skirts, were always on hand to cheer for the team whether in victory or in defeat.

The five sophomore cheerleaders were also essential factors in rousing the spirit for athletic events.

Pep Club, organized just last year, worked closely with the cheerleaders in rooting for the teams. These girls wore new shirts with "Wahawk" emblems and sat together for the games. Their attitude and spirit promoted better sportsmanship and feeling among the spectators.

The pep club, shown in their "Wahawk" pep shirts, illustrate how effectively they can rouse the spirit at athletic events.

VARSITY CLUB

Row 1: David Lawrence, Dell Bernstein, Jim Sisson, Gary Hayes, Jay Cohen, Damon Swanson, Weston Thomas, Garry Bixby

Row 2: Mr. Bob Siddens (advisor), Bill Ogle, Ronald Sturch, Jack Curran, Russ Oleson, Darrell Conway, Tom Anderson, Roger White, Gene Luttrell, Mr. Donald Strahan (advisor)

Row 3: Bob Bitterly, Stephen Showers, Gordon Moser, Bob Avery, Bill Elliott, Dale RuLon, Bob Larson, Jim Young, Lyle Rachuy, Jim Rich

Absent from picture: Vernon Buchan, Dennis Melchert

VARSITY CLUB

One of the most active of the numerous clubs at West this year was the Varsity Club. Its members, those boys who earned a letter in any varsity sport, were kept busy with a full schedule. To earn money the boys sold hot dogs and coffee at home football games and sponsored the sale of Wahawk seat cushions. They also held a paper drive to secure something for the new school.

Social events included a fun night, a dinner for members and their dates, and the annual banquet in honor of their parents. Not to be overlooked were the two initiations for new members.

Gary Hayes and Jay Cohen were presidents first and second semesters respectively. Mr. Bob Siddens and Mr. Donald Strahan were sponsors.

After outstanding performances in football, basketball, and track, Dell Bernstein was elected Most Valuable Athlete. He is pictured beside the plaque where his name will be placed with past outstanding West High sportsmen.

Captain of the County Basketball Championship Team, Dave Knott, proudly presents the trophy to the Student Senate president, Gary Hayes, representing the student body.

VARSITY FOOTBALL

Row 1: Domingo Jaramillo, Bob Brandhorst, Jack Lane, R. J. Stemmerman, Paul Sisson, Jim Young, Bill Miller, Weston Thomas, Rich Roberts, Vernon Buchan, Ray Davis

Row 2: Mr. Don Blue (assistant coach), Tom Anderson, Jim Sisson, Bill Elliott, Garry Bixby, Gary Hayes, Dell Bernstein, Bob Avery, Bob Wheeler, Larry Woodard, Mr. George Dutcher (head coach)

Row 3: Roger Smith, Craig Campbell, Gaylen Trasamar, Grove Garrison, Gayle Rarick, Ronald Sturch, Steve Turner, Toby Blanford, Craig Cooper, Jim Cooney, Rollie Gorman, Gene Horner

Row 4: Stephen Showers (trainer), Dale RuLon (trainer), Bernard Wilcox, Eugene Spears, Dick Sheets, Dave Morrison, Don Aegerter, Douglas Baker, Bill Love (trainer), Dick Poe (trainer)

Absent from picture: Clinton Dennis, Larry Klein, George Orth, Arlen Riggs, and John Windolf

VARSITY FOOTBALL

The Wahawk gridiron team, coached by George Dutcher and Don Blue, completed its season with a 1-8 record.

Eight returning lettermen, only one of whom had been a regular previously, were on hand for the season's opening. A tough schedule and some rough breaks left the "pigskin pushers" often outscored but never outfought; however, the season was a success when measured in good sportsmanship and fair play. One of the highlights of the season was the trip to Lincoln, Nebraska, where the team played the state's mythical champions.

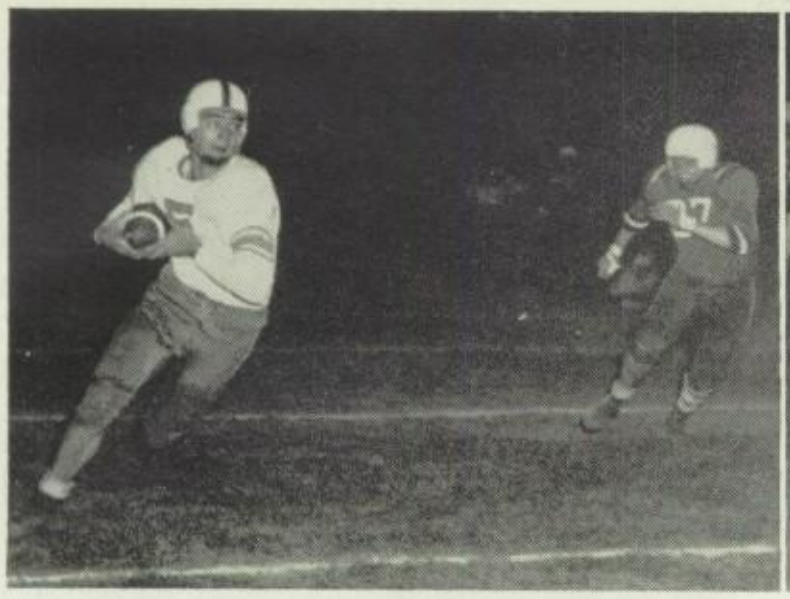
Bob Brandhorst was elected honorary captain by his team mates.

VARSITY RECORD

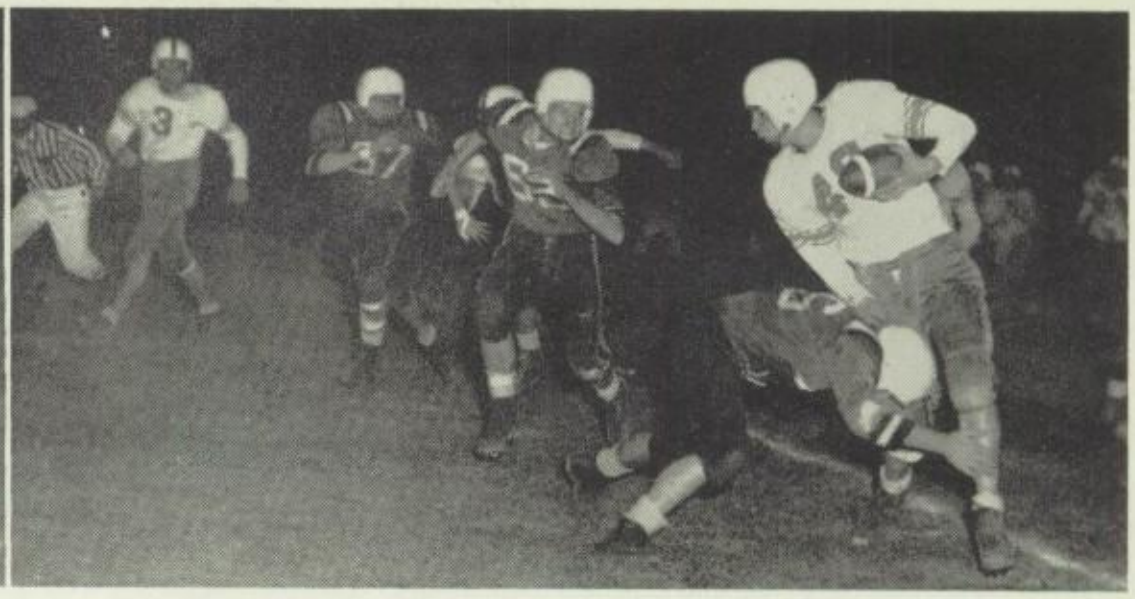
	West	Opponent
Burlington	6	13
Lincoln, Nebraska	7	27
Mason City	19	20
Dubuque	13	19
North Des Moines	20	27
Fort Dodge	7	33
Ames	41	20
Franklin, Cedar Rapids	19	20
East	18	27

FOOTBALL LETTERWINNERS

Bob Avery
Dell Bernstein
Gary Bixby
Bob Brandhorst
Vernon Buchan
Craig Cooper
Bill Elliott
Gary Hayes
Bill Miller
Richard Roberts
Jim Sisson
Paul Sisson
R. J. Stemmerman
Weston Thomas
Steve Turner
Bob Wheeler
Larry Woodard
Jim Young
Dale RuLon, athletic manager



Avery is in the open again.



Gridster Bob Wheeler is halted after a short gain.

SOPHOMORE FOOTBALL

This year's sophomores finished with an impressive record of four wins and two ties. After tying the East High sophomores in the first game, they bounced back to defeat them 24-0 in their next meeting.

Coached by Sherman Tollefson and Bob Siddens, the boys showed fine spirit and should be a help to next year's Varsity squad.

SOPHOMORE RECORD

	West	Opponent			
East Sophomores	13	13	Cedar Falls Reserves	13	13
T. C. High Reserves	14	0	Tripoli Varsity	27	14
St. Mary's Reserves	40	6	East Sophomores	27	0

SOPHOMORE FOOTBALL

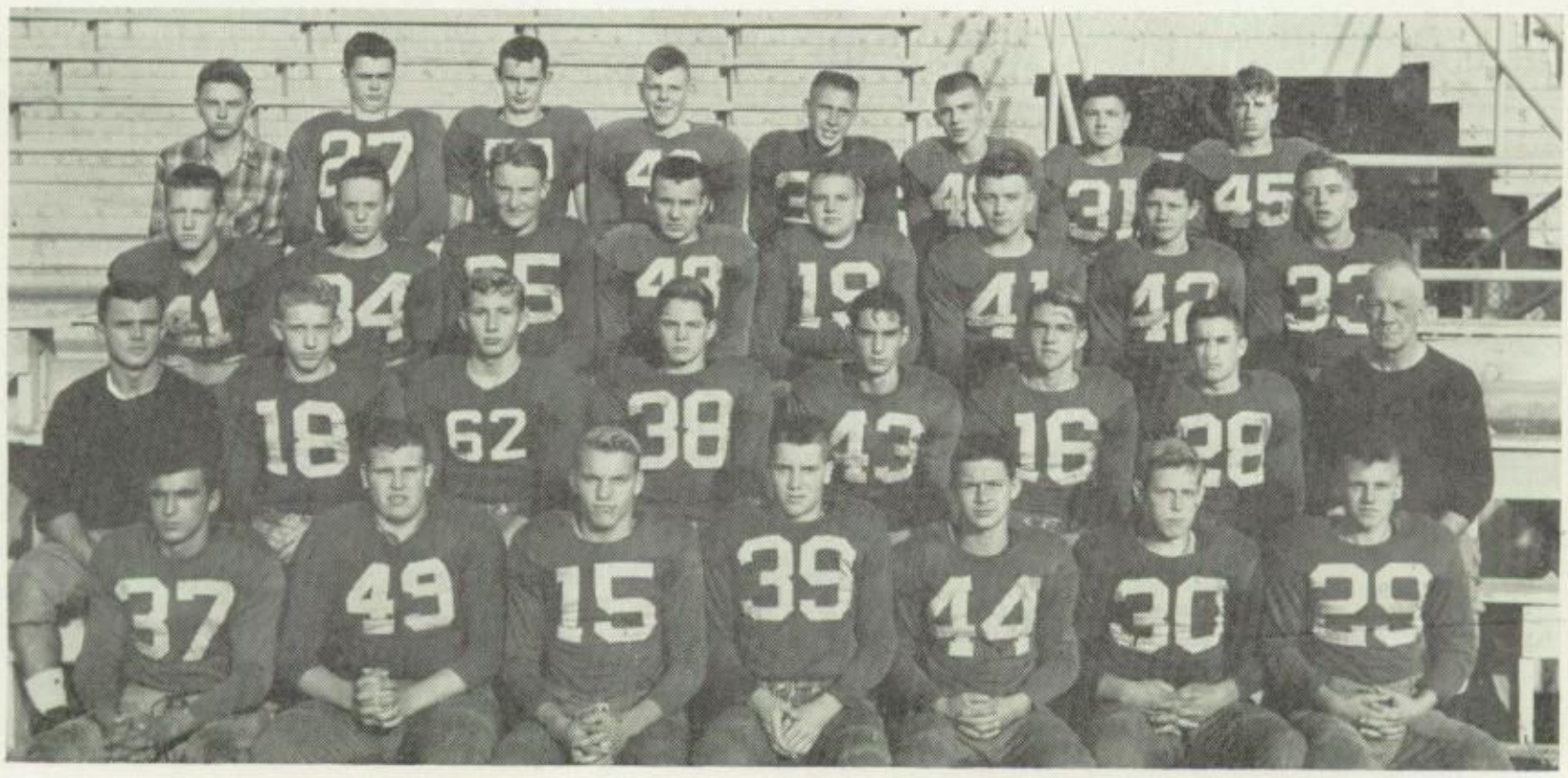
Row 1: Rejman Jirsa, Bill Cowell, Mervel Miller, Tom Purdon, Gary Todd, David Fecht, Dennis Sommer

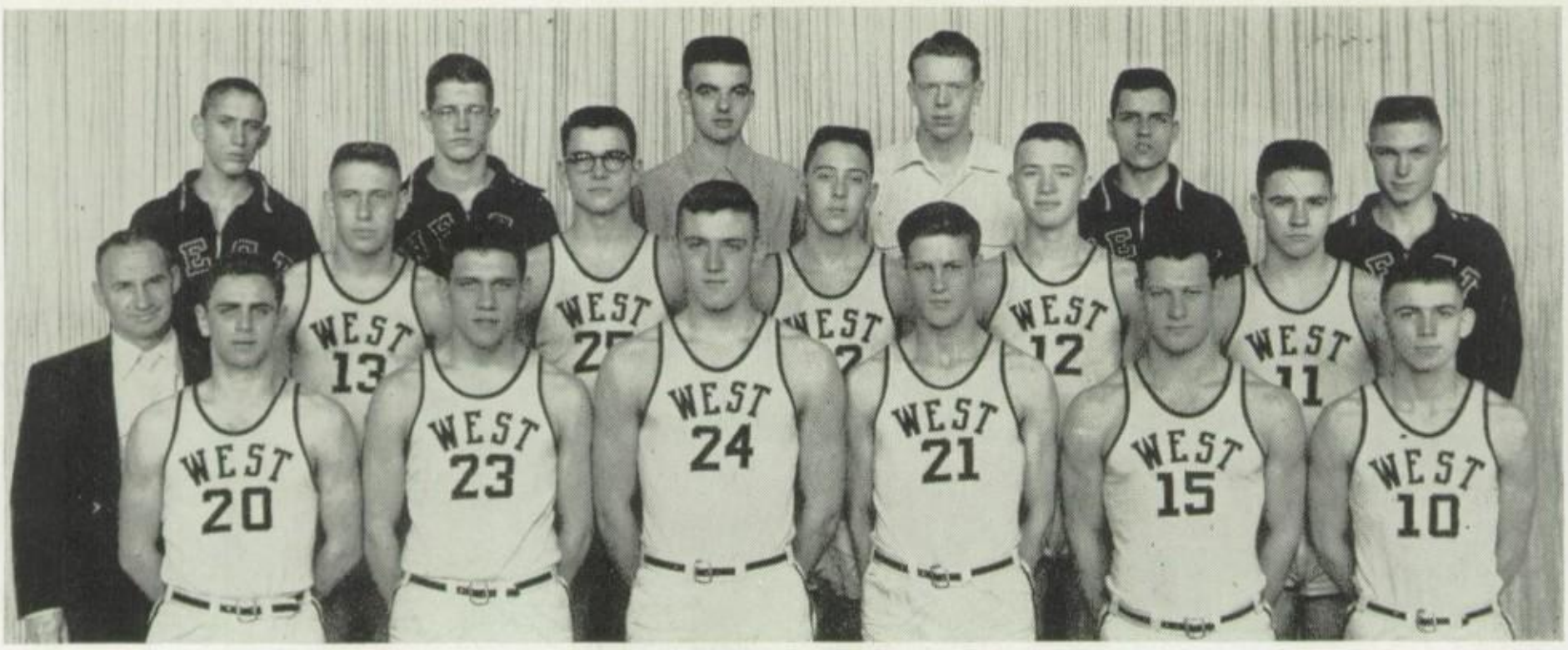
Row 2: Bob Siddens (assistant coach), Conrad Gallmeyer, Gerry Gienger, Max Boller, Bob Vriezelaar, Tom Winder, Larry Moser, Sherman Tollefson (coach)

Row 3: Wesley Sodergren, Dick Carson, Ronald Kendall, Bill Humble, Craig Peffer, Jim Golinvaux, Bob Benson, Delbert Rossberg

Row 4: Don Porchet (manager), Bud Sauer, Dick Shields, George Swanson, Jerry Seaman, Jim Berry, Dave Solberg, Marvin Nissen

Absent from picture: Ric Miller





VARSITY BASKETBALL

Row 1: Gary Hayes, Paul Sisson, Jim Young, Bob Brandenburg, Dell Bernstein, Jim Berry
Row 2: Glenn Strobridge (coach), Jerry Seaman, Bob Sauer, Dave Knott, John Adix, Jack Lane
Row 3: Ronald Sturch, Don Roeder, Dick Poe (manager), Dale RuLon (manager), Bob Bitterly, Tom Anderson

VARSITY BASKETBALL

Our Wahawk cagers, coached by Glenn Strobridge, completed a very successful season with a 19-5 record.

Jim Young, chosen captain of the team, broke two West High records, scoring a total of 380 points and hitting 50.4 per cent of his field shots.

This year's team was the highest scoring in the history of West, a record only partially accredited to the new "one-and-one" free throw rule.

The team is looking forward to another fine season next year when all but two of the varsity squad will be returning.

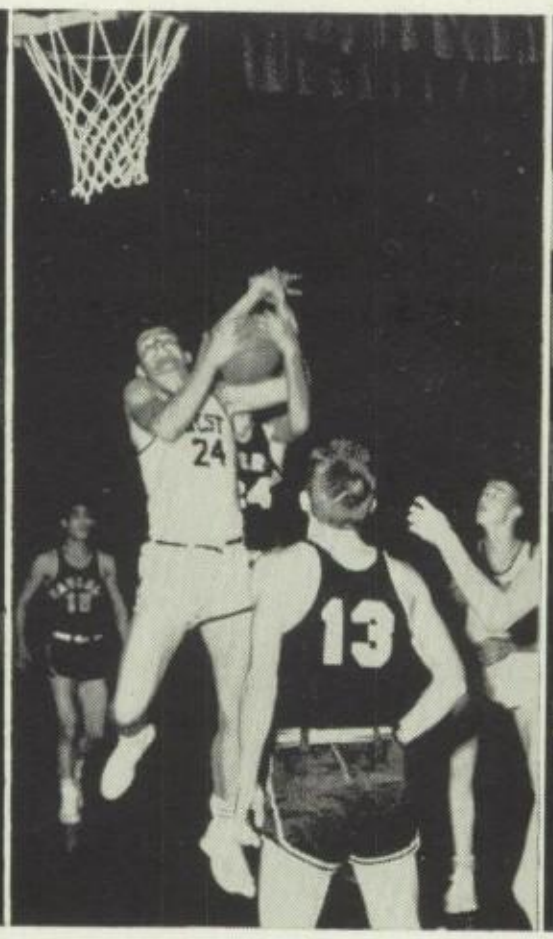
VARSITY RECORD

	West	Opponent
Orange	77	34
La Porte City	86	46
Waverly	57	34
Cedar Falls	52	45
Dubuque	54	71
Marshalltown	53	59
North Des Moines	63	56
East	43	47
Franklin, Cedar Rapids	69	59
Fort Dodge	68	51
East	39	50
Roosevelt, Cedar Rapids	65	47
Mason City	53	27
Waverly	60	54
East Des Moines	45	37
Marshalltown	56	47
Fort Dodge	70	55
East Des Moines	64	42
Mason City	65	63
North Des Moines	50	44
Charles City	82	63
T. C. High	75	44
Newton	59	55
District		
Cedar Falls	60	65

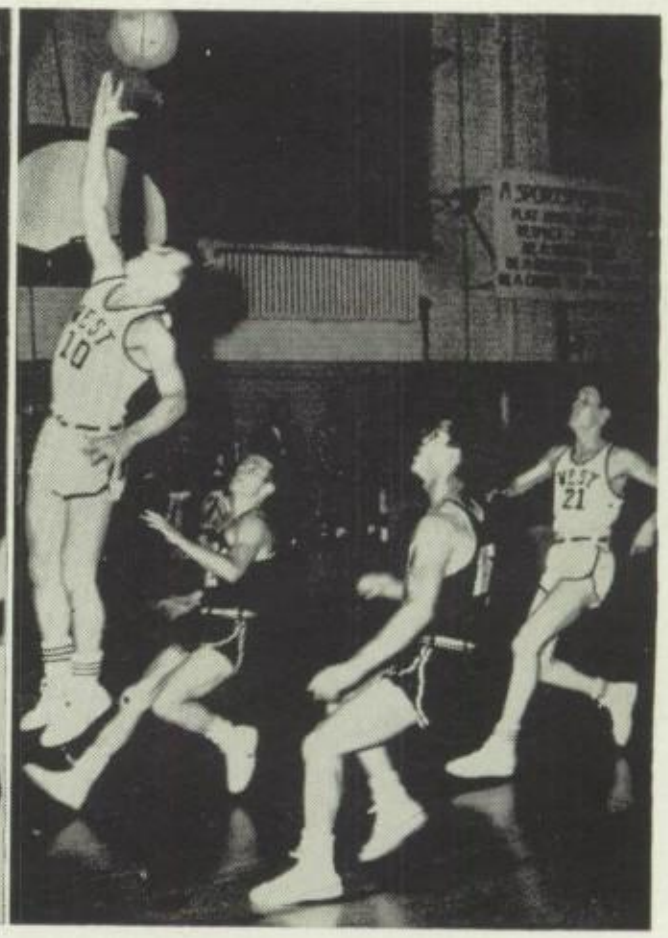
BASKETBALL LETTERWINNERS

John Adix
Dell Bernstein
Jim Berry
Bob Brandenburg
Gary Hayes
Bob Sauer
Paul Sisson
Jim Young

Get that rebound, West!



Watch Jim Young — he's a record-breaker.



Big jump for a little guy.

SOPHOMORE BASKETBALL

If the record of this year's sophomore Wahawks is any indication of what to expect next year, West High will be a major threat to any school in the state.

These determined boys came through to win the county tournament for the first time in the history of West and would probably have remained undefeated if several of them had not been promoted to the varsity squad.

SOPHOMORE RECORD

	West	Opponent
Waverly	55	37
Cedar Falls	40	34
Dubuque	67	47
East	66	26
Franklin, Cedar Rapids	52	28
East	52	27
Roosevelt, Cedar Rapids	69	38
Waverly	51	31
East Des Moines	71	57
Mason City	61	45
Charles City	46	54
Newton	54	48

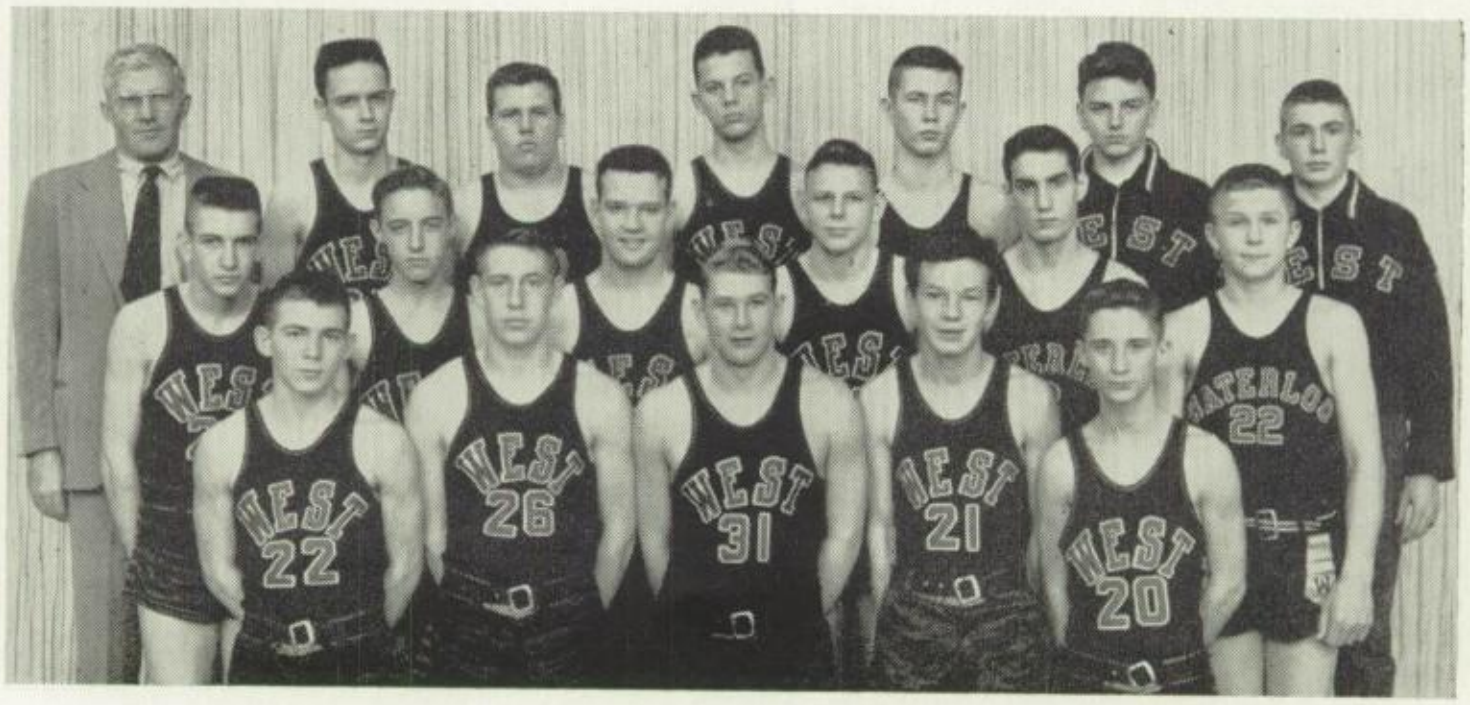
SOPHOMORE BASKETBALL

Row 1: Jim Berry, Jerry Seaman, Steve Turner, David Wente, Bob Grappendorf

Row 2: John Wayne, Wayne Jackson, Dean Eberly, George Swanson, Bob Vriezelaar, David Lawrence

Row 3: George Dutcher (coach), Howard Cohrt, Bill Cowell, Donn Mattusch, Bob Wheeler, Don Porchet (manager), Joe Myers (manager)

Absent from picture: Gary Todd



VARSITY WRESTLING

Row 1: Larry Moser, Wally Dietz, Harold Clough, Gene Luttrell, Lawrence Clough, Tom Winder, Jim Bunning, Bob Siddens (coach)

Row 2: Delbert Rossberg, Dale Huff, Jack Koehn, Jim Tharp, Gordon Moser, Dick Horner, Gaylen Trasamar

WRESTLING

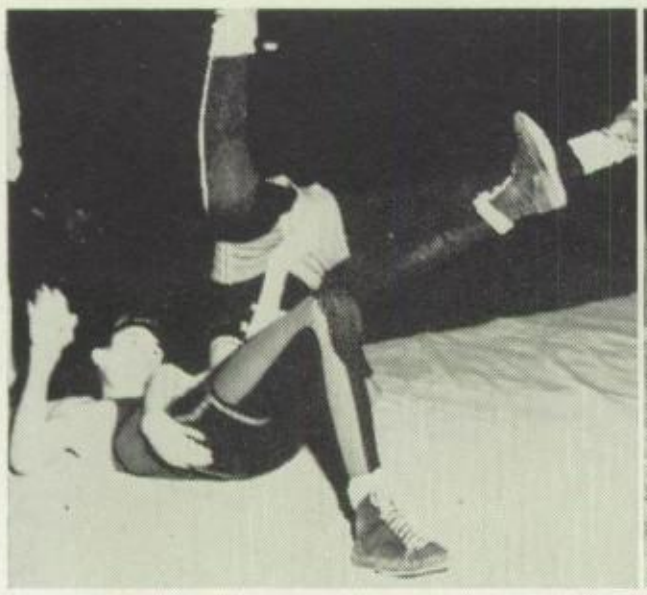
With a minimum of lettermen, West's wrestlers compiled a respectable record of eight wins and three losses. Competition was keen as 22 boys competed in the eleven weight classes throughout the season.

A very commendable performance was turned in by Jack Koehn, who didn't become a starter until the middle of the season but who went on to win the state championship in the 95-pound class. Larry Moser finished as runner-up in the 112-pound class at both the state and district tournaments. Gene Luttrell, though he failed to place in the state tournaments, won the district championship at 103. Lawrence Clough compiled an outstanding record of seven falls and two decisions in nine matches before he graduated at midterm.

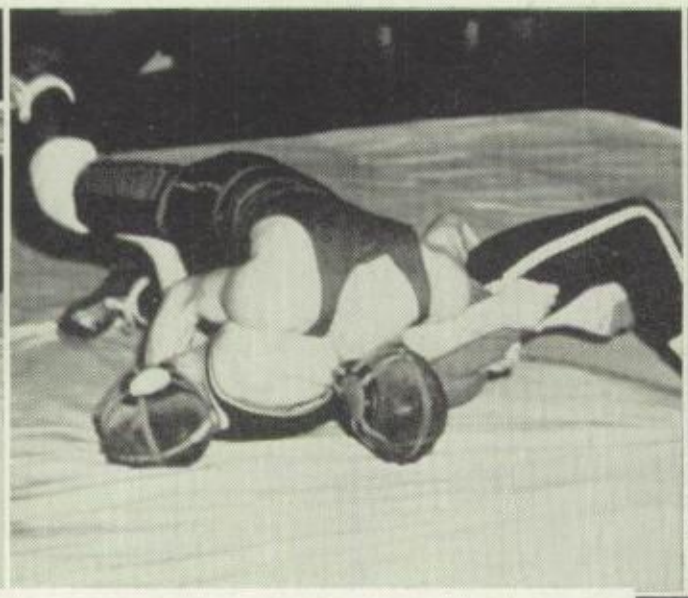
Eighteen boys competed on the reserve team, which won nine of ten meets.

WRESTLING RECORD

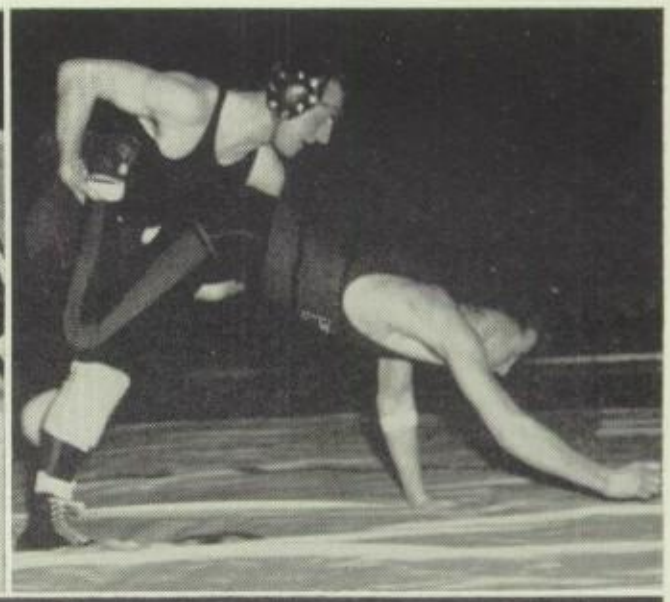
	West	Opponent
Cresco	11	30
Clarion	18	22
North Des Moines	30	10
Cedar Falls	23	19
Osage	25	16
Fort Dodge	29	16
East Waterloo	15	20
Newton	24	17
Eagle Grove	24	15
East Des Moines	28	9
Wayzata, Minn.	25	14



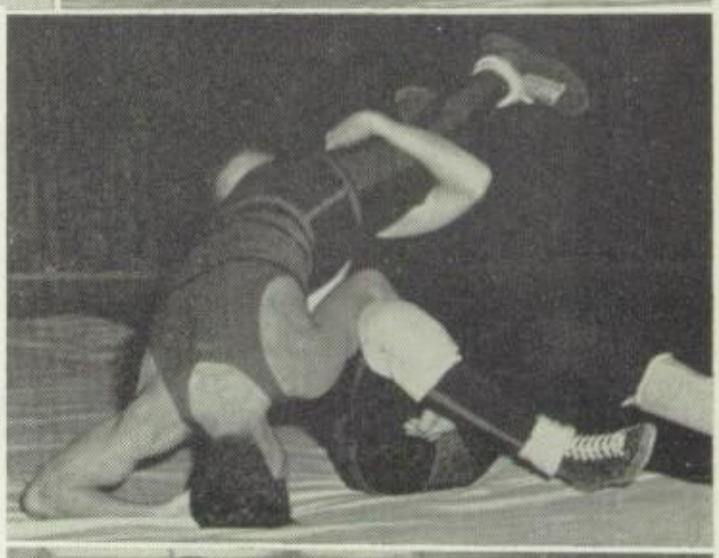
Champion Jack Koehn in action.



Moser works for a fall.



Think fast, Horner!



Del Rossberg uses his head.

WRESTLING LETTERWINNERS

Harold Clough
Lawrence Clough
Wally Dietz
Dick Horner
Dale Huff
Jack Koehn
Gene Luttrell
Gordon Moser
Larry Moser
Delbert Rossberg
Jim Tharp
Gaylen Trasamar
Tom Winder

State representatives, Jack Koehn, Larry Moser, and Gene Luttrell, confer with Coach Siddens before the meet.

RESERVE WRESTLING

Row 1: John Sell, Garry Bixby, Louis Schnur, Gerry Gienger, Grove Garrison, Bob Merfeld, Jon Hansen, Bob Landau, Jerry Einwalter

Row 2: Allen Koch, Max Boller, Larry Ross, David Fecht, Craig Cooper, Delaine McChesney, Mervel Miller, Hank Reuling, Bob Siddens (coach)

Row 3: Dick Carson (manager), Gene Reed (manager), Bob Keiper, Tom Purdon, Domingo Jaramillo, R. J. Stemmerman, Gary Mendon, Toby Blanford, Stephen Showers (manager), Bill Love (manager)

Absent from picture: Albert Simcox, Bill Miller

VARSITY BASEBALL

Row 1: Eugene Spears (manager), Tom Anderson, Bob Bitterly, Glen Hansen, Gordon Elbert, Mr. Fred Larson (coach)
Row 2: Frank Schaefer, Gene Hoeg, Jay Cohen, Jerry Martin, Lyle Rachuy, Bob Avery, Don Roeder
Row 3: John Windolf, John Beem, Bob Wheeler, Bob Sauer, Jack Lane, Bob Keiper
Row 4: John Adix, Craig Cooper, Gordon Moser, Bob Merfeld, Dave Knott
Absent from picture: Dean Eberly, Bob Grappendorf, Jim Schotter, Jerry Seaman, Steve Turner, and Larry Woodard

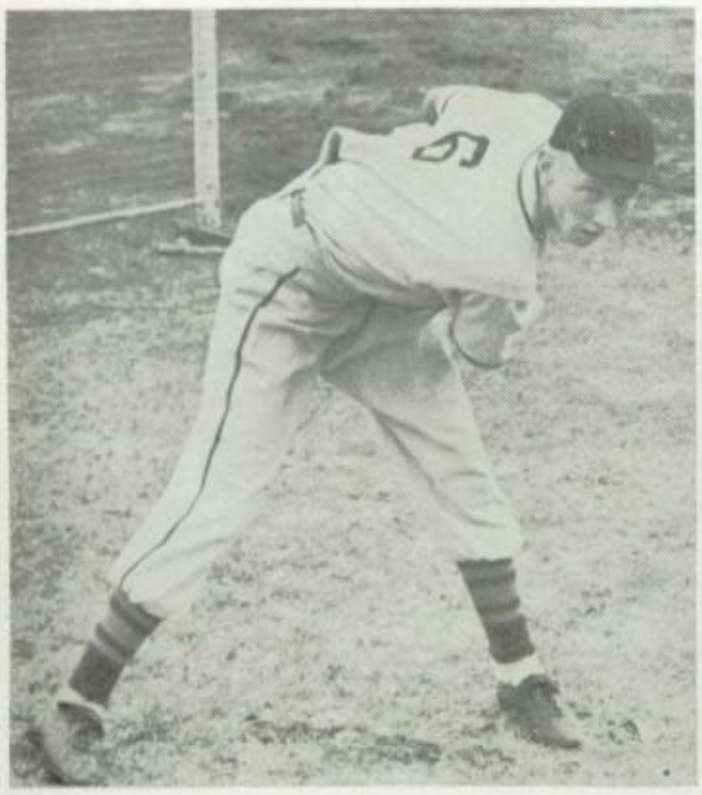
VARSITY BASEBALL

Eight returning lettermen formed the nucleus of the West 1953 baseball team. The boys, hampered by cold and wet weather, got a late start in competitive play.

Early in the season the diamondmen lost their chance to compete in Big Six Conference in an East-West game which they lost 7-2. West defeated their first four opposing teams and later met Mason City, St. Mary's, Waverly, Charles City, Dike, Hudson, and participated in the state series. Three games were played with East under lights.

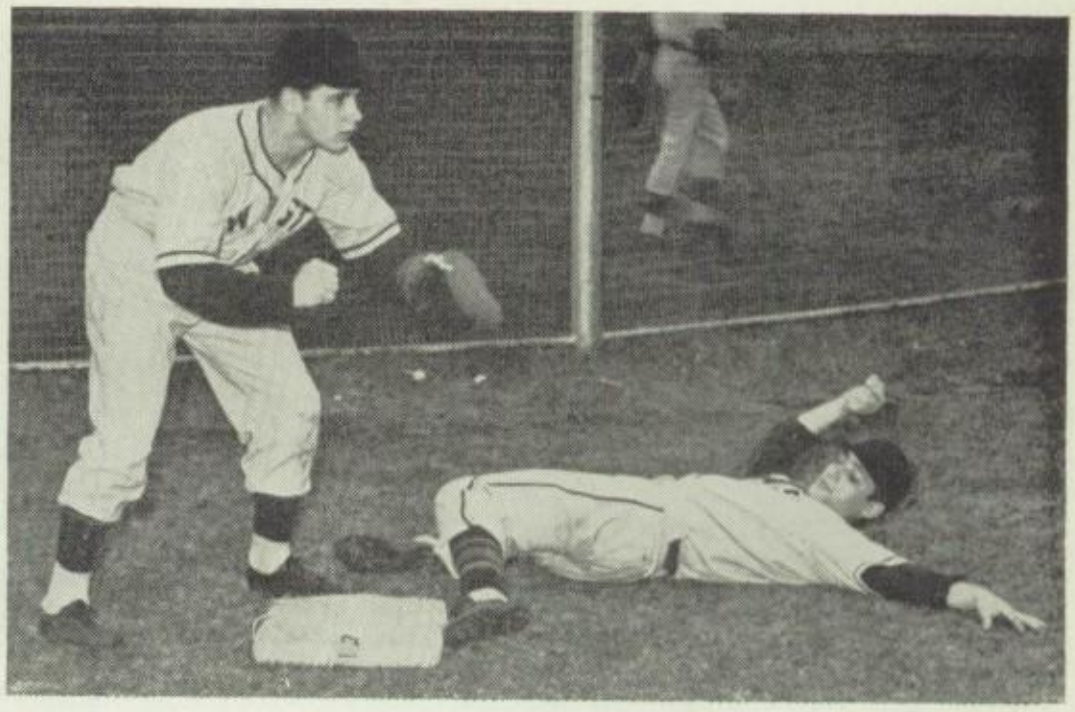
Coach "Zebe" Larson completed his eleventh year as Wahawk baseball coach with a favorable record.

Pitcher Glen Hansen hurls a fast one.



Ready to relieve.

Looks like a good infield combination.

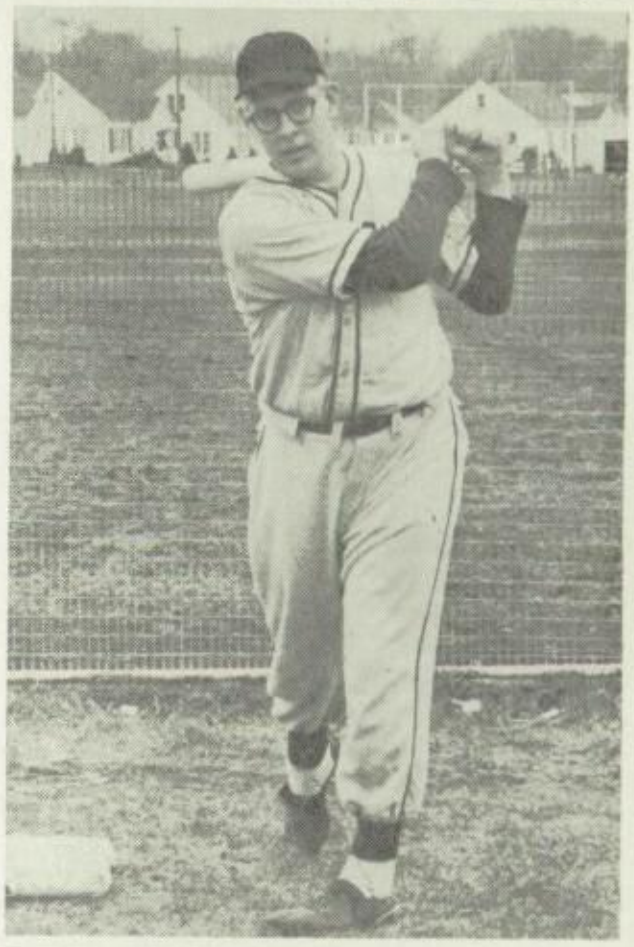


Wahawks Jim Schotter and Jay Cohen demonstrate personal specialties for the camera.

SOPHOMORE BASEBALL

Starting out the season with wins over the East High sophomores and Sacred Heart varsity, the sophomore baseball team showed great promise for a successful year.

At midseason, the team, coached by George Dutcher, lost some of its players to varsity action.



First baseman Lyle Rachuy displays excellent batting form.

SOPHOMORE BASEBALL

Row 1: Jim Berry, Richard Schmitz, Tom Purdon, Larry Moser, Bob Grappendorf
Row 2: Kent Van Schoyck, Errol Brown, Steve Peterson, Jerry Seaman, Dick Johnson
Row 3: Steve Turner, Dion Welch, Dean Eberly, Dennis Sommer, Mr. George Dutcher (coach)
Row 4: Joe Myers (manager), Lee Shaffer, Jack Crowe, Gary Thompson, Dave Solberg
Absent from picture: Loran Simpson

TRACK

Row 1: Max Boller, Bill Elliott, Craig Campbell, Bob Larson, Ronald Sturch, Jack Curran, Darrell Conway, Kelvin Moeller, John Wayne, Gene Luttrell

Row 2: Mr. Lyle Anderson (coach), Conrad Gallmeyer, Rejman Jirsa, Roger Smith, Jim Young, Paul Sisson, Jim Sisson, Jim Cooney, Dell Berstein, Gary Hayes, Mr. Don Blue (assistant coach)

Row 3: Ric Miller, Dick Carson, Delbert Rossberg, Lyle Hutchins, Howard Cohrt, Howard Ehlert, Gerry Gienger, Gary Todd, Tom Winder

Row 4: Gene Reed, Bob Conway, Larry Ross, Ronnie Ziegler, Dale RuLon, Jim Beinke, Jim Wheeler, Bill Love

Absent from picture: Harold Allen, Garry Bixby, David Fecht, Wayne Jackson, Mervel Miller, Gayle Rarick, Albert Simcox, R. J. Stemmerman, Gaylen Trasamar, Bob Vriezelaar

TRACK

With twelve returning letter winners, the West cindermen had a successful 1953 season in track and field competition.

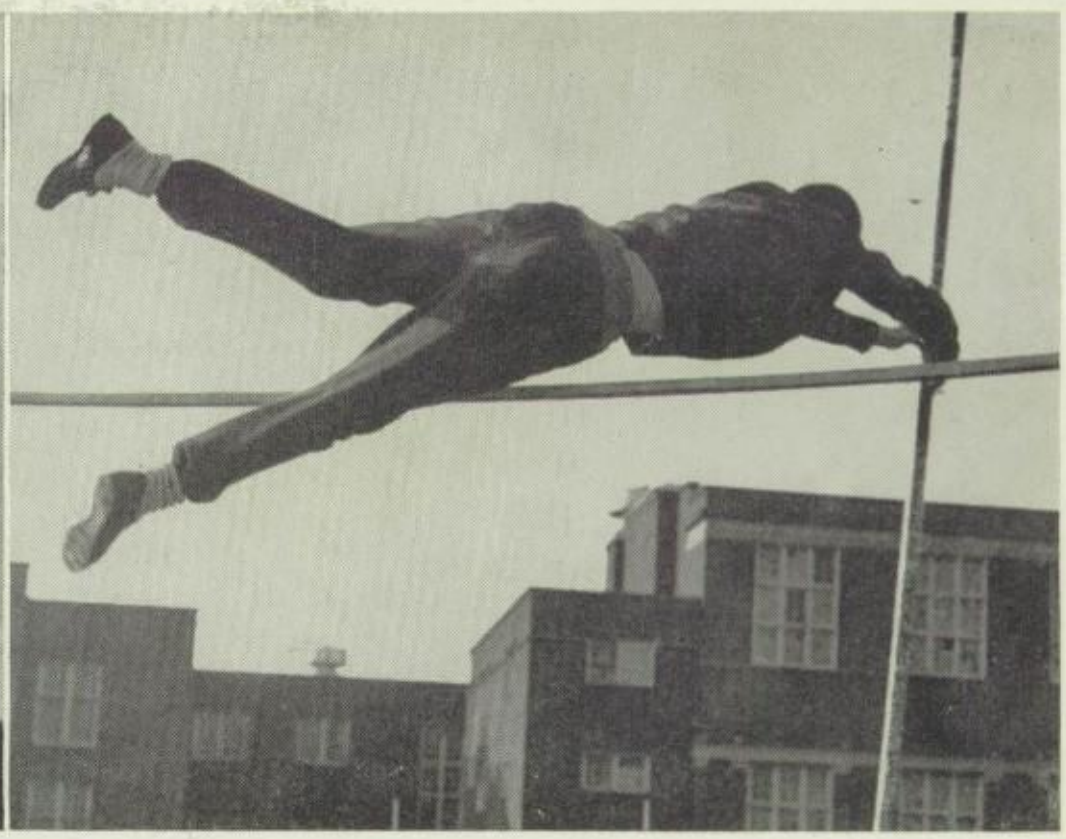
The first victory of the year came in a triangular win over East Waterloo and Dubuque which was followed by another victory over East. State indoor and outdoor meets, the Comet Relays, the T. C. Relays, and the renowned Drake Relays made up the schedule for the remainder of the season.

The close of the season came with a fine record which the thinclads had reason to remember with pride.

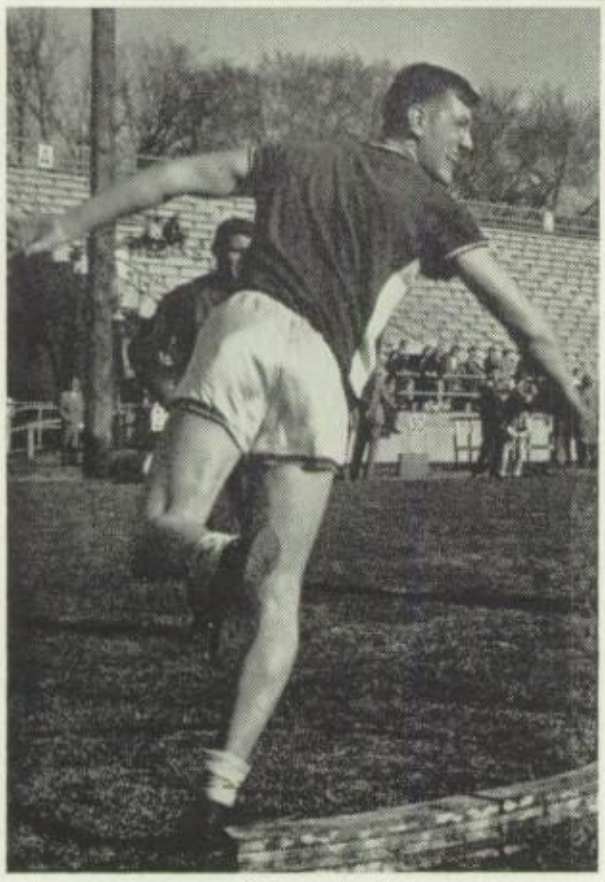
Curran captures first.

Let's go another round, fellows.

Dell Rossberg — up and over!



Sturch flies through the air with the greatest of ease.

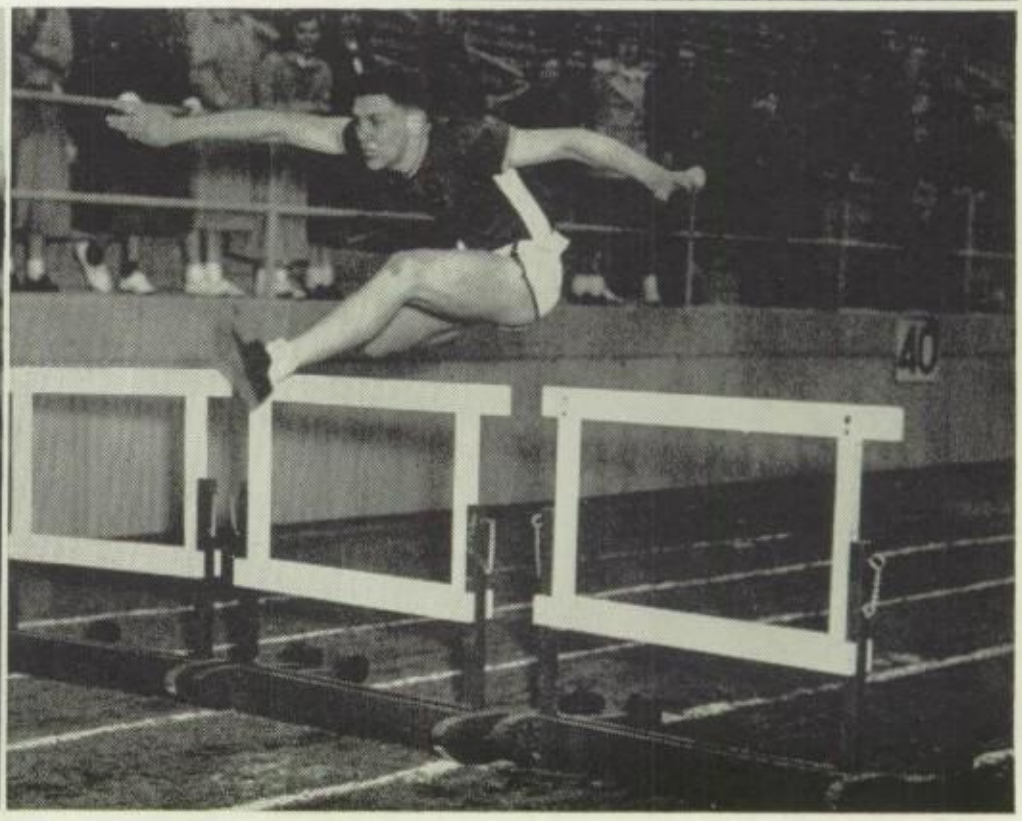


A record toss by weightman Jim Young.

Dell Bernstein does his share for a relay triumph.

Paul Sisson clears another hurdle in his race to the finish line.

How high was that one Larson?



GOLF

Left to right: Bill Smoker, Jim Weber, Bill Ogle, Don Porchet, John Bryant, Bob Brandenburg, Stephen Showers, Jim Anderson, Norman Scott, Ronald Raecker, David Lawrence, Mr. Don Narveson (coach)

And now the walk begins.

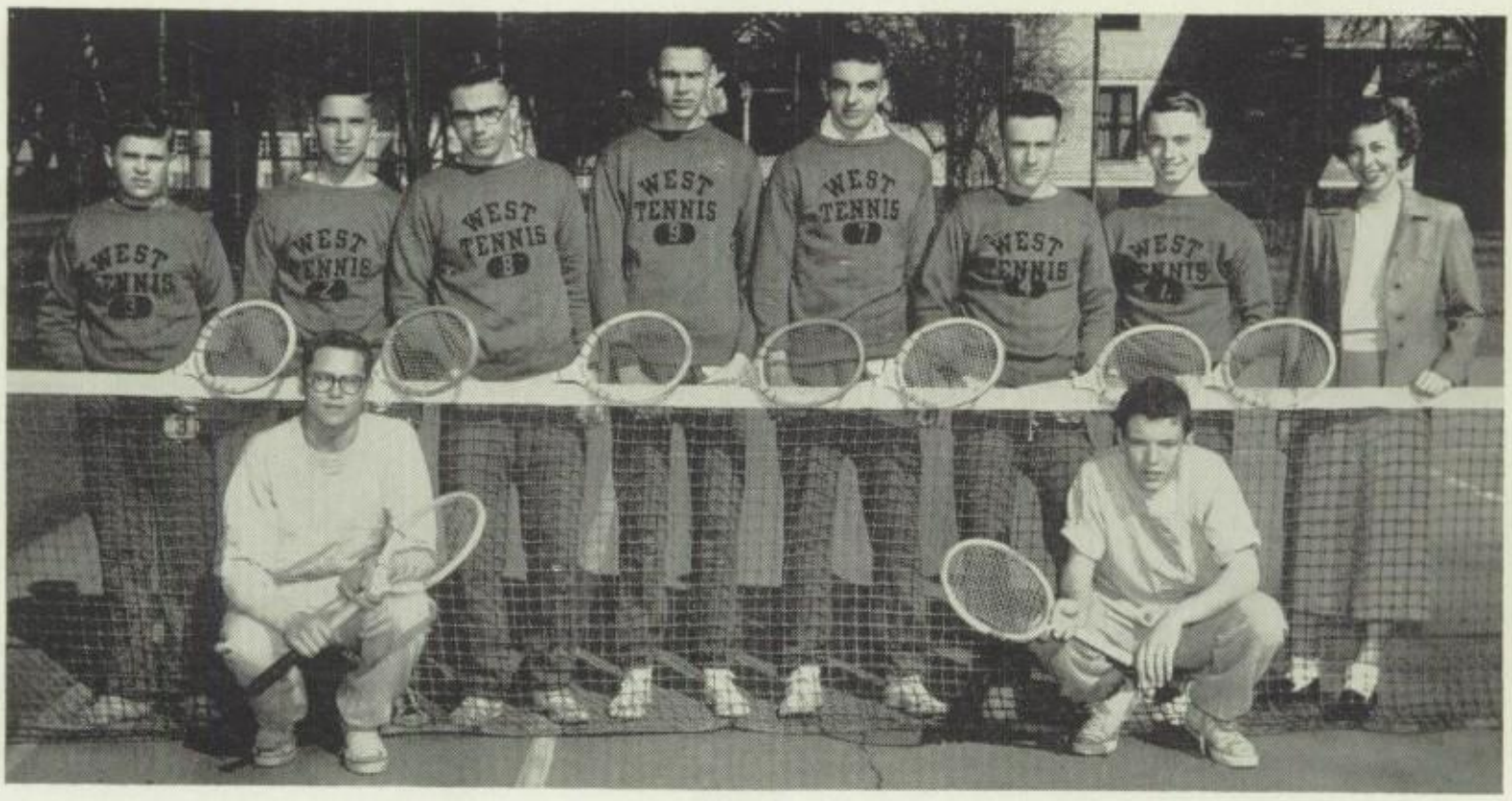
Letterman Duff Lawrence watches his chip shot.

GOLF

Coach Don Narveson had only two returning lettermen, Steve Showers and Duff Lawrence, to defend the record of last year's golf squad. The team competed with Manchester, East Waterloo, Dubuque, Ottumwa, Franklin, C.R., and in Big Six and state meets to close its season with a successful record.

Out of the sand and on to the green.

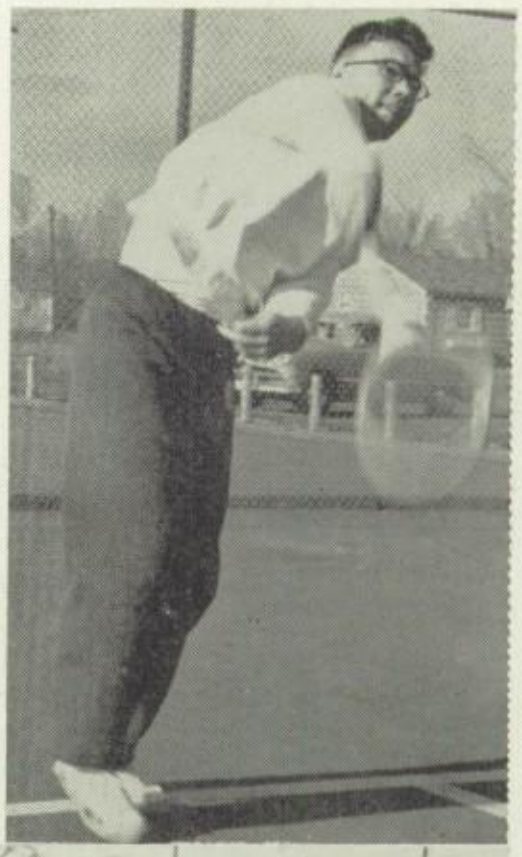
Whose approach will be nearer the pin?



TENNIS

Row 1: Charles Solberg, Dick Lynes
Row 2: Roger Robinson, Jack Crowe, Jim Rich, Dick Barck, Dick Poe, Bernard Wilcox, Damon Swanson, Miss Doris Jensen (coach)
Absent from picture: Larry Crowe and Don Holder

Jim Rich is caught in the act of returning the ball.



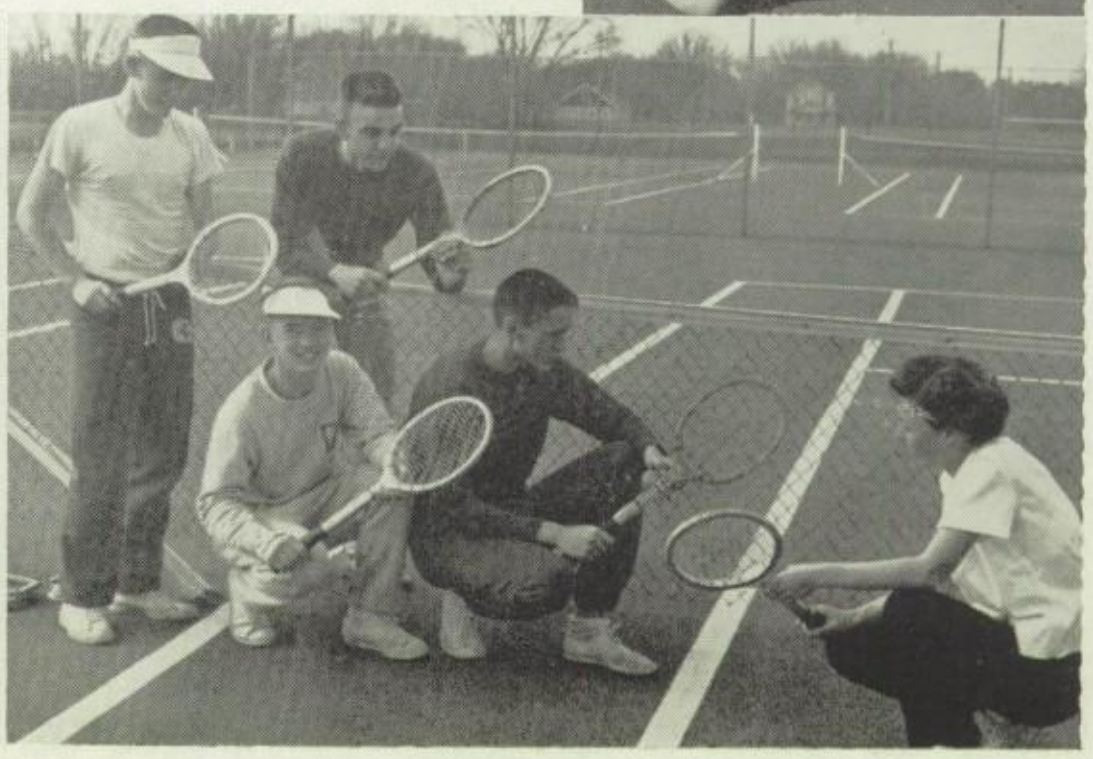
TENNIS

Netmen began practice at the new Byrnes Park courts faced with a full season. The first meet was a triangular with East Waterloo and Dubuque, which West won, and later in the season they met Independence, East Waterloo, Dubuque, Grinnell, Mason City, and competed in Big Six, district, and state meets.

Miss Doris Jensen completed her second year as Wahawk tennis coach with an excellent record.

Roger Robinson takes time to practice his technique.

The tennis squad listens as Miss Jensen gives instructions.



ARCHERY

Row 1: Mr. Bernard Eyestone (coach), Dick Makinster, Ronald Cagley, Phillip Miller, Dean Bunce, Dale Huff

Row 2: Frank Schaefer, Bill Stewart, Donn Mattusch, Larry Crowe, Jack Crowe, Gaylen Trasamar

Absent from picture: Don Saul

RIFLE TEAM

The West High Rifle Team elected the following officers for the 1952-53 season: Philip Miller, president; Russell Oleson, vice-president; Bill Ogle, secretary; and Larry Crowe, treasurer. Mr. Willis Haugen was sponsor.

A total of nineteen matches was fired during the season, four of which were national matches promoted by the National Rifle Association. The team finished in the upper quarter of division B.

Letterwinners were Lee Adler, John Bonner, Larry Crowe, Jim Grannemen, Edwin Jacobs, Philip Miller, Bill Ogle, Russell Oleson, and Norman Sharar.

ARCHERY

The Archery Club, defending champion of the National Archery Tournament, was coached by Mr. Bernard Eyestone. Its goals were club championships in target and field shooting which are awarded each spring.

RIFLE TEAM

Row 1: Lee Adler, Larry Crowe, Russ Oleson, Phillip Miller, Bill Ogle, Dick Makinster

Row 2: Mr. Willis Haugen, Bill Stewart, Robert Trowbridge, James Granneman, Edwin Jacobs, Wesley Sodergren, Frank Schaefer

Row 3: Jack Crowe, Norman Sharar, Larry Olsen, Monte Castle, John Bonner, Ronald Jolls

Absent from picture: Frank Kempf, Charley Lynch

SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING

Row 1: Judy O'Donnell, Sally Miller, Sandra Guernsey, Sharon Guernsey, Mabryn McClelland, Jane Bender, Donna Schumann

Row 2: Margaret Kolker, Barbara Brown, Denise Dennis, Kathryn Werner, Aline Grove, Sandra Nipper, Audrey Warren

SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING

Grace and rhythm have been introduced into senior high swimming this year through the newly organized synchronized swimming group.

The thirteen girls, under the direction of Miss Jensen, spent a lot of after-school hours preparing for their swimminig show, "Calendar Splashes."

In order to qualify for membership to this group, the girls had to be advanced swimmers and had to have a willingness to cooperate with the group.

G. A. A.

Girls' Athletic Association, headed by Beverly Perkins and sponsored by Miss Doris Jensen, aimed for more sports interest on the part of Wahawk girls.

Among its various activities were basketball, golf, bowling, tennis, and volleyball.

Highlighting its busy year was a series of basketball games between the six teams.

Another major activity was a volleyball tournament.

In the social line the forty members held a picnic at Byrnes Park.

GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Row 1: Miss Doris Jensen (advisor), Kathleen Morrow, Carol Gibson, Ruth McCord, Beverly Perkins, Shirley Miller, Judy Hoyer, Sandra Whannel

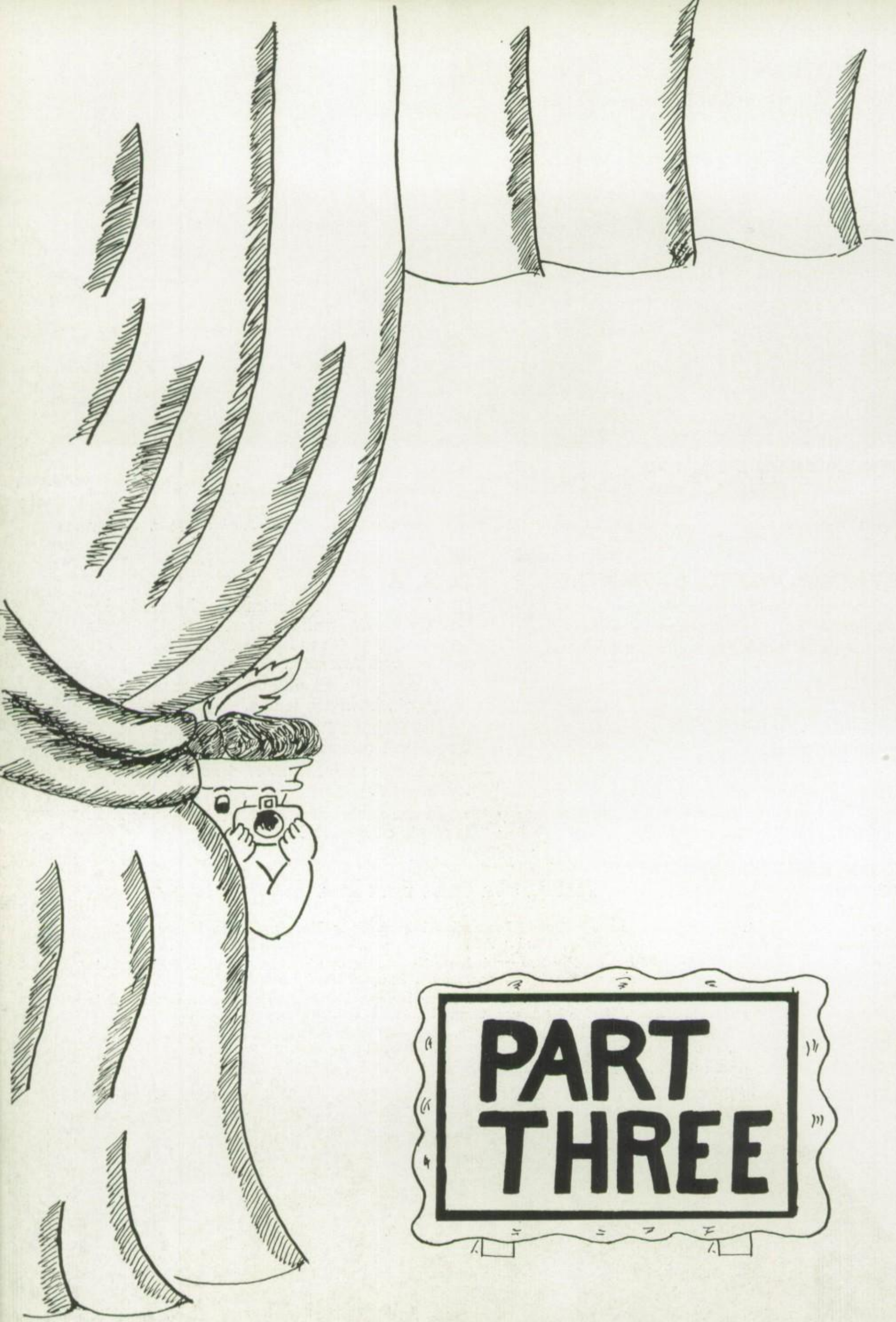
Row 2: Joyce Kottman, Donna Saylor, Annette Staudt, Evangeline Payton, Betty Meeker, Sharon McCreedy, Carol Dumpman, Joyce Shellenberger, Roberty Kenny, Martha Addington, Mabryn McClelland, Arlene Forbes

Row 3: Shirley Warrens, Marilyn Murray, Dorothy Switzer, Roberta Nelson, Kathryn Werner, Sandra Nipper, Lucretia Shirley, Lila Quackenbush, Marlene Terpstra, Mavis Hopper, Florence Lehman, Martha Schultz, Myrna Diggins

Row 4: Joy Christensen, Della Cameron, Mary Quackenbush, Joyce Murray, Norma Padden, Gloria Strom, Sylvia Webbeking, Carol Cook, Joanne Heichel, Maxine Neubauer, Carol Henning, Carolyn Holmes

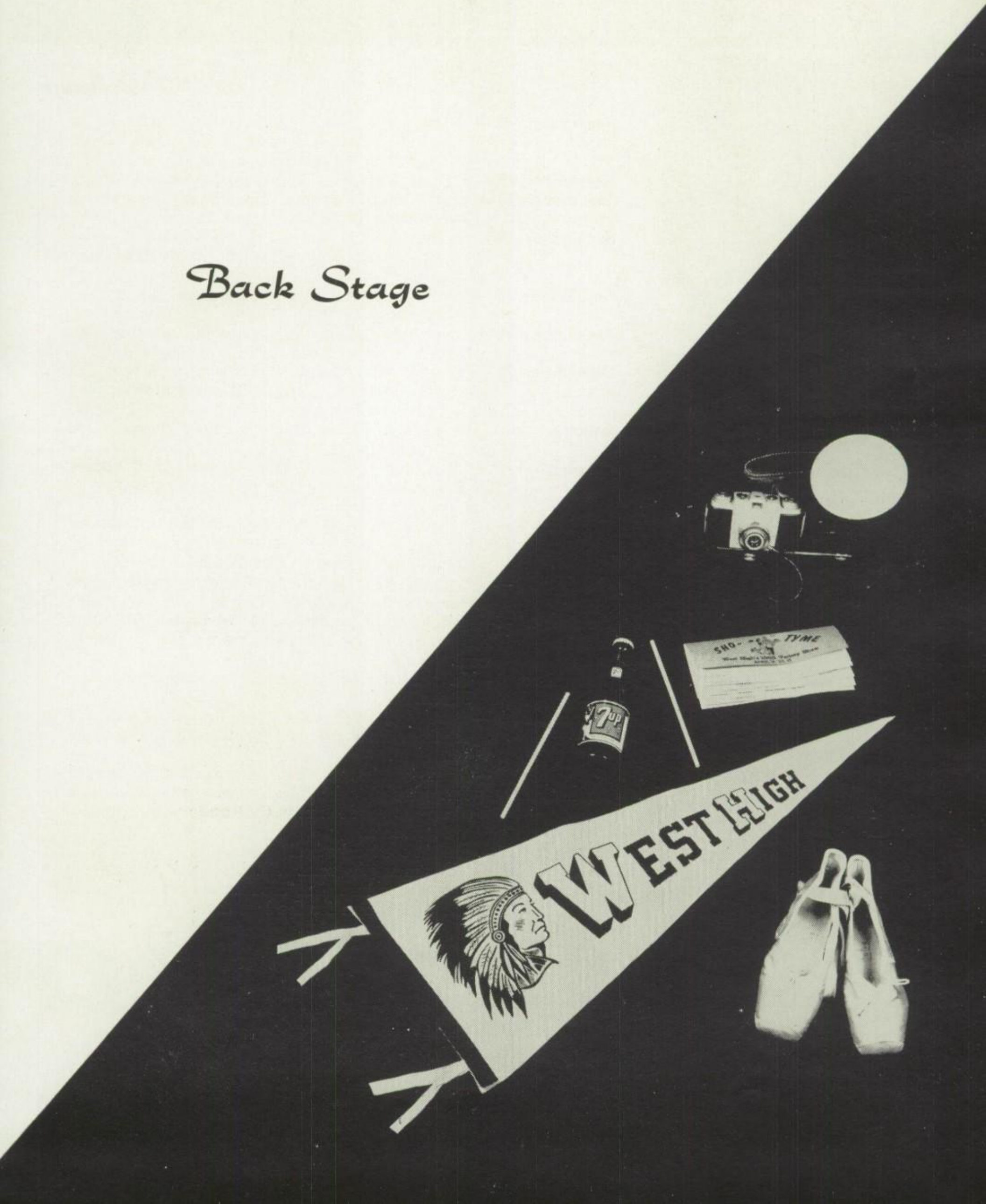
Row 5: Sandra Winburn, Charlotte Peterson, Eva Kay Rutledge, Yvonne Terhark, Pat Magee, Lois Anderson, LuAnne Larson, Shirley Jacobsen, Marilyn Young, Audrey Warren, JoAnn Walden, Sue Raecker, Shirley Faye

Absent from picture: Sandra Barnes, Judy Fisher, Luanne Hartman, June Moore, Carrol Westerfield



PART THREE

Back Stage



Wahawk

September 2 — Once again delightful summer vacation is over and classes resume in Wahawk camp. Wasn't it fun to see familiar faces?

September 10 — Philomel initiation. Didn't they look ridiculous?

September 13 — First football game! The team, the crowd, everyone was literally soaked.

September 15 — Student Senate installation. Looks as if we're in for an excellent semester under those fine officers.

September 18 — Football team got a big send-off for Lincoln, Nebraska.

September 19 — Moonlight dance honoring the sophomores was a huge success and lot of fun.

September 26 — Twenty-fifth annual Homecoming. It was fun seeing familiar faces and entertaining past "squaws and chiefs."

October 1 — Picture day. Smile at the birdie — these go in the annual.

October 3 — Band toured to Fort Dodge. A bushel of apples and a gallon of root beer and pandemonium in the back of the bus.

October 7 — No matter who the villain was, he influenced everyone to buy an annual in the big kick-off assembly presented by the WAHAWK staff.

October 11 — Varsity Club initiation. Grab your ankles, boys. Those paddles are going to hurt.

October 23 — Opening night for **Father of the Bride.** And then the great wiener roast at Beem's for the entire cast.

November 4 — In a straw election we elected Eisenhower and Nixon.

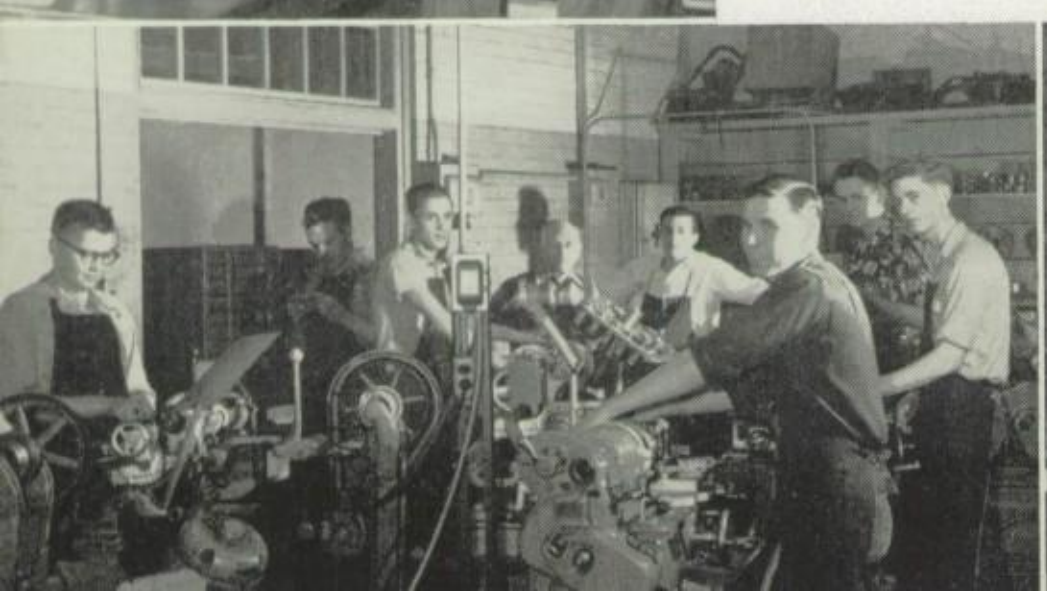
November 7 — East-West clash — Oh well, the game was better than the score, and besides the mums were beautiful.

November 26 — Thanksgiving vacation—hurrah for the turkey!

December 11 — Mr. Johnson's birthday, and some thoughtful chemists made him a real cake with candles. (31 of them.)

December 12 — East-West basketball game.

December 17 — Christmas program. All the work was worth the time when the "Hallelujah Chorus" filled the auditorium for the last time.



Diary

December 19 — Vacation again! The nicest part of school. Merry Christmas, gang.

December 29 — Varsity Club banquet. Ummm — those delicious french fried onions!

January 5 — Back to class to note the new attire of Santa's little favorites.

January 8 — **Lullaby Follies** presented to students.

January 21 — Semester tests. Gosh, how could I forget so much?

January 26 — Beginning of new semester. Well, seniors, this is it. Eighteen more weeks. That's all.

February 2-4 — Speech finals were held among Wahawk speakers to see who would represent West.

February 12 — **An Evening with Music,** annual concert.

February 28 — Jack Koehn is state champ. Pretty big title for such a little guy.

March 9 — Report cards again. Some good — others? There must have been some mistake.

March 10 — Award assembly for wrestlers, basketball players, cheerleaders, riflemen, and trainers. Aren't they proud of those new W's?

March 20 — First Variety show rehearsal with complete cast. Looks like a tremendous show is in the offing.

April 3-7 — Easter spring vacation.

April 6 — Dress rehearsals of variety show.

April 9, 10, 11 — Rhythm and Rhyme in West High Time. **Sho Tyme** was a tremendous success.

April 16-18 — Shenandoah speech contest. Some fun, eh gang?

April 21 — Music department banquet at Ti-Pi-Tin Inn.

April 24-25 — Drake Relays. West broke two records — shot-put, and mile relay.

May 15 — Junior-Senior Prom. The band, the night, your date — something you'll never forget.

May 31 — Baccalaureate — The last time in West's auditorium for the seniors.

June 2 — Commencement — The day we've waited for. And we only hope underclassmen will think of us when singing "From our halls still echo footsteps, of Alumni true . . ."

Homecoming

Two hundred fifteen alumni attended West High's 25th annual Homecoming activities on September 26. The class of 1943 was honored.

To begin the activities, the Philomel girls honored past members at a banquet in Black's tearoom on Wednesday evening, September 24.

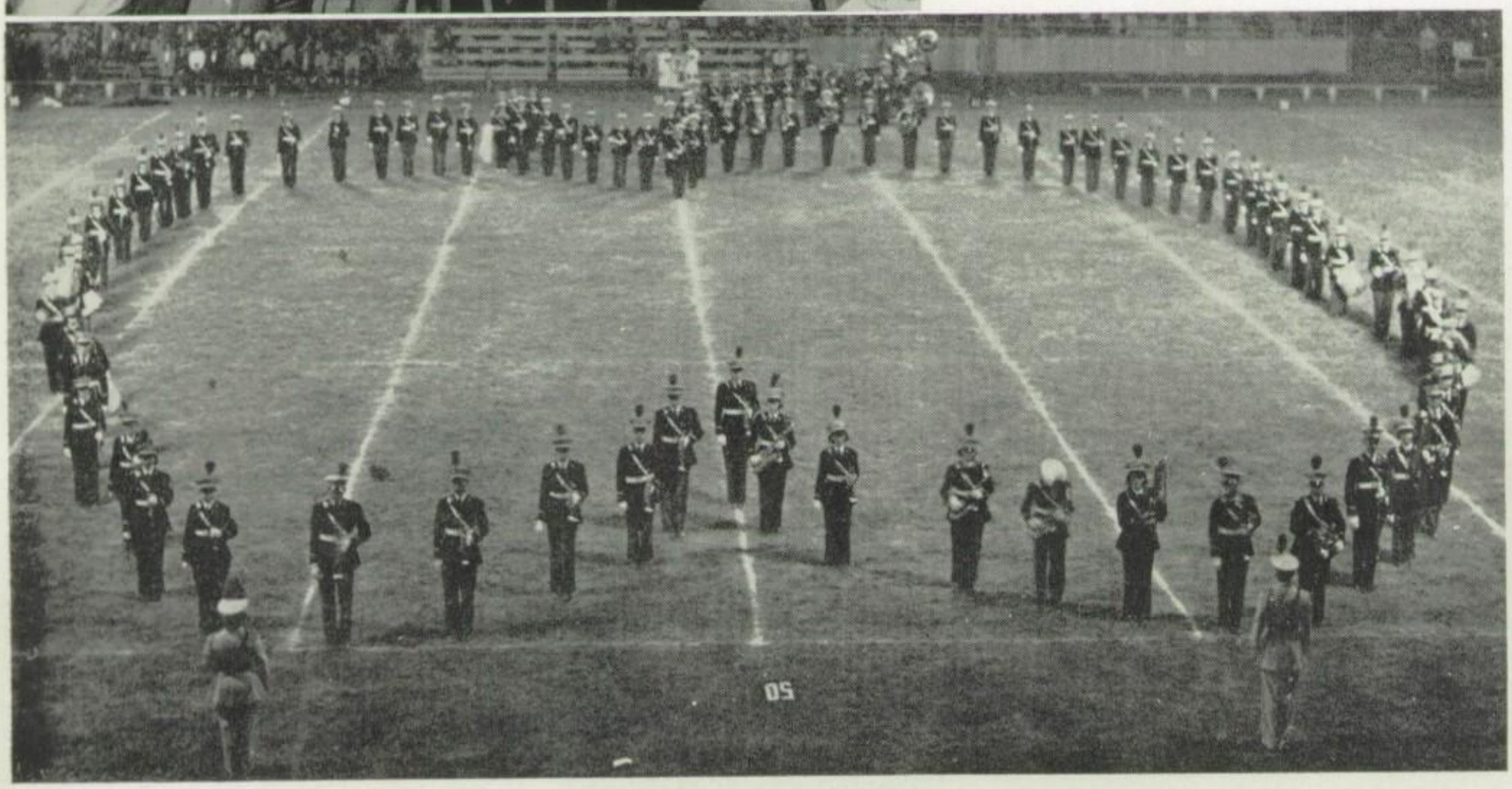
Events of Homecoming Day began with a pep assembly, featuring the pep girls in a skit on changing times at West. Mike Giltner spoke for the honored class, and representatives of the past 25 years were introduced. Following the assembly, the alumni were honored at a tea. The gridiron team met with Mason City for an exciting Homecoming game, after which students and alumni attended the moonlight dance; this concluded another eventful Homecoming.

John Beem and Barbara Junger register Robert Walker, class of '29, who was main speaker for the assembly.

Alumni are welcomed at a Homecoming tea held in their honor.

Philomel girls honor past members at the annual banquet.

An apple for the teacher is presented at half-time.



Christmas Program

The Christmas spirit was extended on December 17 and 18 when the two-hundred twenty voices of the combined junior and senior high chorus, directed by Marvin Easter, and the orchestra, under the direction of Richard Baker, presented the annual Christmas program of music. Traditional bell ringers and candle-lighting opened the program along with a newly organized brass choir. Scripture reading added to the beauty of the scene.

Vocal solos included "Oh, Holy Night," Craig Campell; "Beautiful Savior," Kay Corson; "Ave Maria," Marlin McCann; "As Lately We Watched," Janet Neidt.

Closing the program was another traditional number, the "Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's "Messiah."

BELL RINGERS

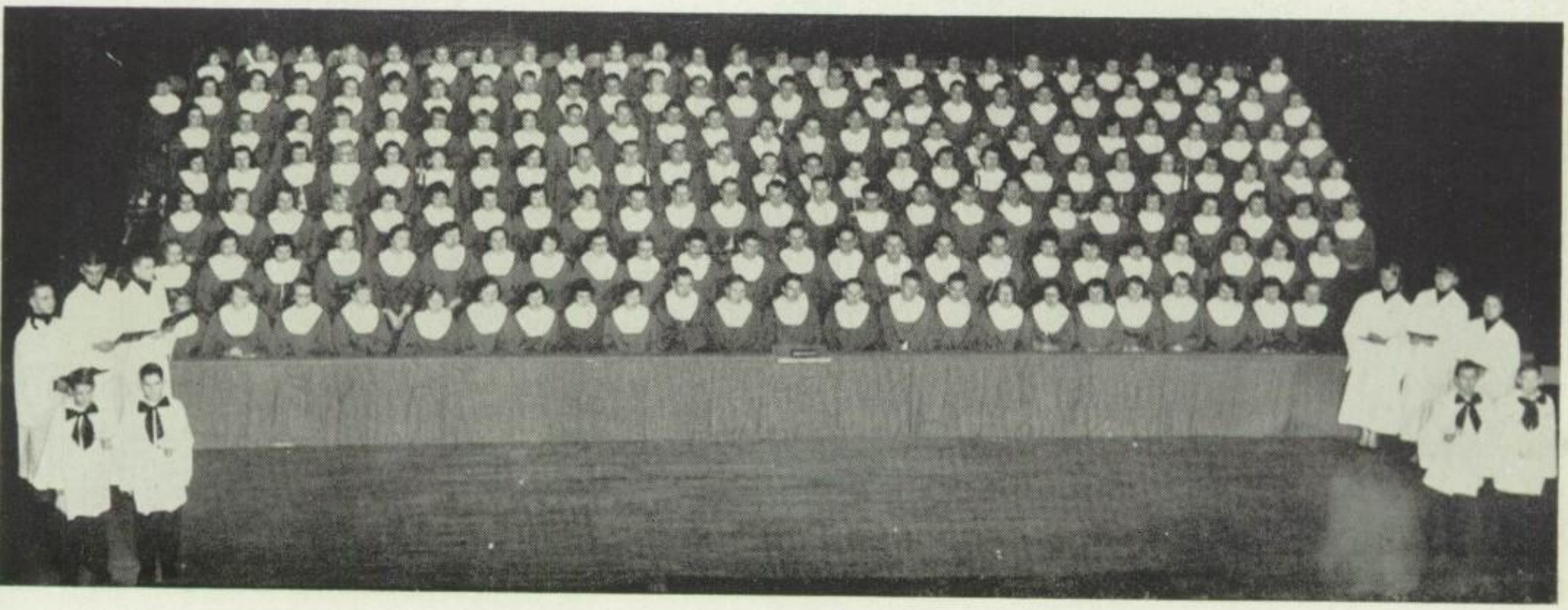
Row 1: Sue Raecker, Luanne Hartman, Darlene Lohmeyer
Row 2: Jane Rowe, Ruth McCord
Row 3: Roberta Kenny, Karen Wylie, Beverly Penning
Row 4: Iva Jane McKinley, Shirley McChesney

READERS

Carol Gibson, Damon Swanson, Marion Aukes, Jack Koehn, Kim McElhose, Dick Poe

BRASS CHOIR

Lyle Rachuy, Dennis Melchert, Bruce Miller, Wesley Bentrude, Roger Lane, Dave Knott, Gary Yarrington
Absent from picture: Roger Thompson



LULLABY FOLLIES

When Priscilla Persephone fell asleep in the woods on January 8, 1953, she dreamed up a sparkling dance assembly, "Lullaby Follies." Priscilla went for a walk, and, growing tired, she decided to take a nap. Her dream included everything from a glowworm to paper dolls and a red wagon

Have you ever lived in an imaginary world? Here we see Priscilla, alias Connie Ross, engrossed in the pages of her favorite nursery rhyme book as she sets the scene for "Lullaby Follies."

The program, sponsored by Terpsichorea, Pavlovians, and the girls' and boys' taplines, was one of this year's most popular assemblies.

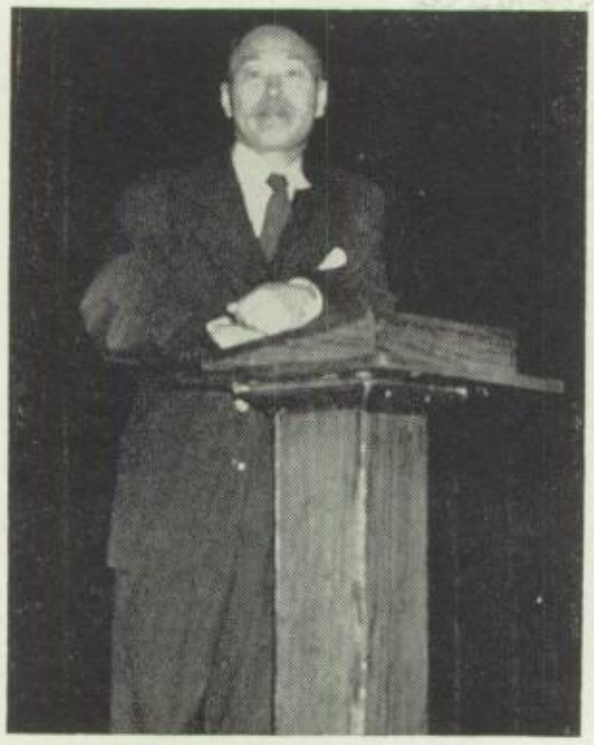
But what have we here? It's a friendly glowworm to play with Priscilla. Even if it's only a dream, our "Terps" girls give an excellent rendition of a catchy tune.

Every little girl plays with paper dolls, and Priscilla is no exception. Here we have a whole string of "real live" dollies which she has just finished cutting.

Look at the real Chinese "Sleepy Time Gals" who appear to tap into our heroine's dreams. Do you suppose Priscilla would like to dance with some of them?

The movies which a little girl attends are often Walt Disney originals but not those of Priscilla's choice. She likes the wild westerns starring the real wild "West" cowgirls.

ASSEMBLIES



Dr. No-Yong Park, speaking to the students in an inspiring address of the Far East, gave everyone much food for thought.

Pruth McFarlin, radio and concert tenor, accompanied by Miss Sarah Hedrick, provided top vocal entertainment.

Mr. Emil Liers enlightened the student body on the life and habits of the otter and entertained us by actually showing his two trained otters.

Terry Golden and his wife brought song and dance in true ballad style. Student participation in square dancing and ballad singing made the program unusually pleasing and entertaining to the student body.

An excellent musical trio, sponsored by the University of Minnesota, entertained us with soprano and tenor solos as well as some piano numbers.

Magrum, master of magic, surprised Paul Sisson and Steve Showers with some of his mystifying feats.

SWING BAND

SHO-

"There's No Business Like Show Business," and West High students proved it with their 1953 variety show, "Sho-Tyme." In a delightful atmosphere of "Rhythm and rhyme in West High time," the Wahawks played to four capacity audiences.

The swing band, which played a large part in making the show a success, entertained the patrons with snappy tunes such as "St. Louis Blues March," and "Southern Fried." Trumpeter Gary Yarrington, aptly called "The Young Man with the Horn," was a hit in his own right.

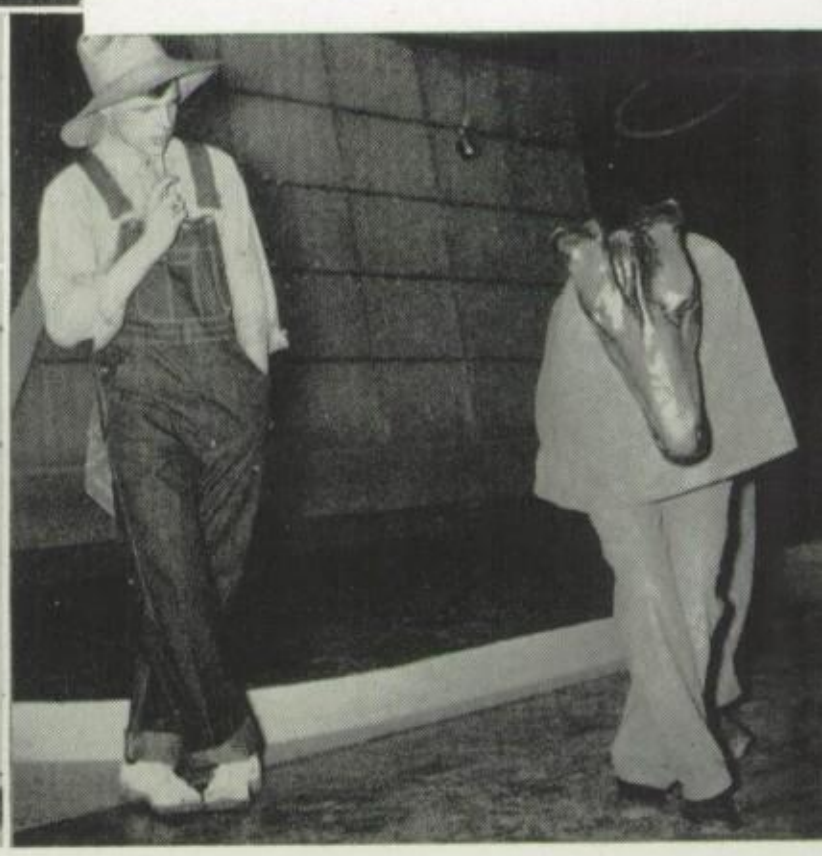
Singing their way to the top with "It's a Grand Night for Singing," "Louisiana Hayride," and "Sweet Sixteen" were the Harmoneers, the newly-organized boys' chorus.

Dancing made up a large part of the show, with Terpsichorea, two boys' and six girls' taplines taking the lead. The "Flippant Flappers" scored a hit with their version of the Charleston. (Those boys should have

HEART AND SOUL

WOODY WOODPECKERS

LA PETITE 'N PETE



HARMONEERS

TYME

lived in the "Roaring Twenties!") On the more classical side, there were three excellent ballet dances, the sophisticated "Jazz Legato," by Claudia Williams, perhaps the most unusual. Strictly for the birds were the four woody woodpeckers, one of the peppiest groups of the show, while "The Old Gray Mare," mystified the farmer with tricky dance steps. The dance instructors scored a hit in their version of the "Johnson Rag," which took the breath of the audience (and the band.) Giving the "Devil," Gary Hayes, a rough time was "Angel," Iva Jane McKinley, in the clever act "Satan Takes a Holiday."

Jay Cohen and Dick Lukes tickled audiences' "funny bones" with some clown antics, and also along the humorous line was Meriem Scholl's original reading, "Oh, Johnny."

From the first rough plans to the final curtain, it was lots of hard work and lots more fun, but all participants were assured that "There's No Business Like Show Business."

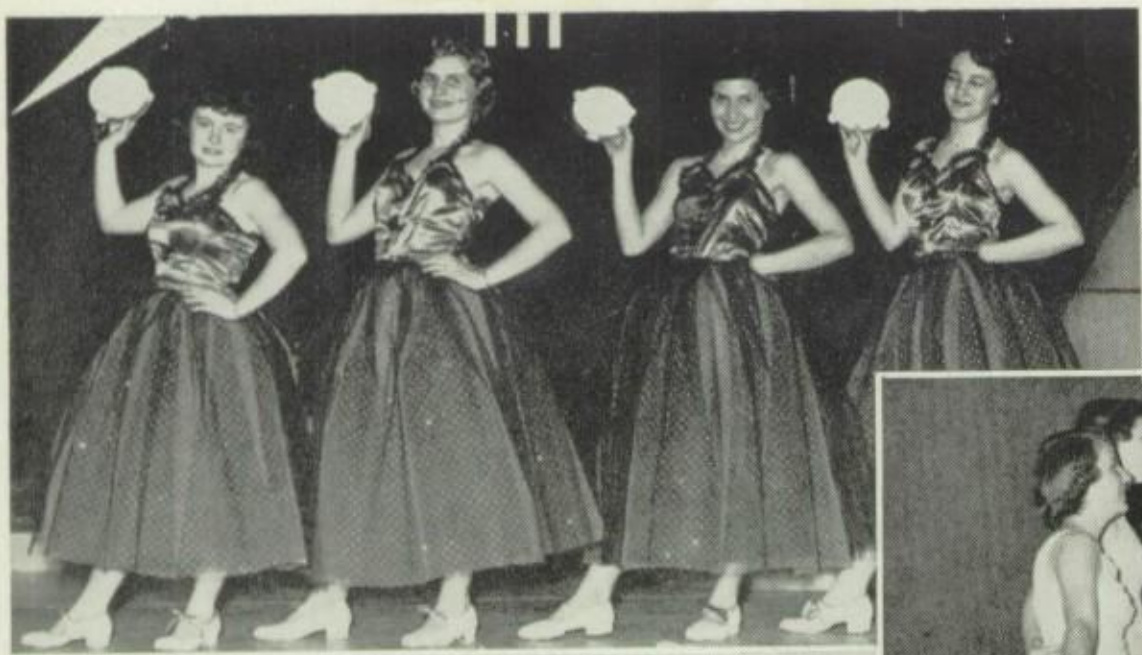
OPENING LINE

WALKIN' MY BABY

SHO-TYME SWEETHEART

ONCE IN LOVE WITH AMY

MELODEERS



TEMPO TEASERS

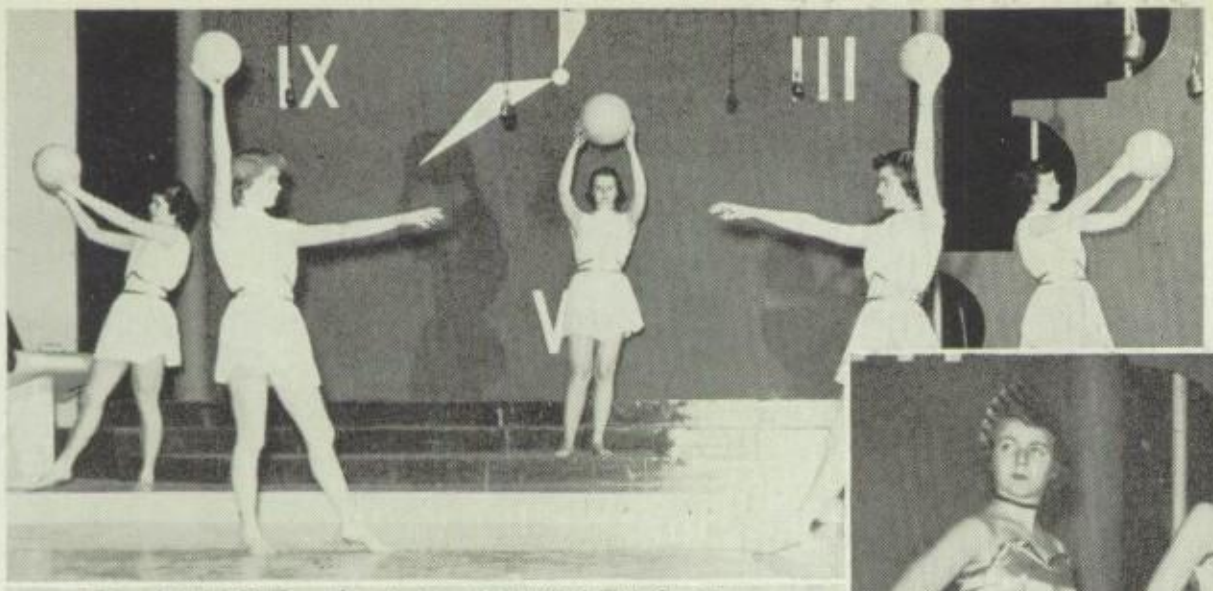
SKATERS' WALTZ

MISTER TAP TOE

CLOWNS

SWEET GEORGIA BROWN

I'M IN THE MOOD FOR LOVE



DANCE A LA OLYMPICS

BLUE VIOLINS

FLIPPANT FLAPPERS

DEVIL AND THE ANGEL

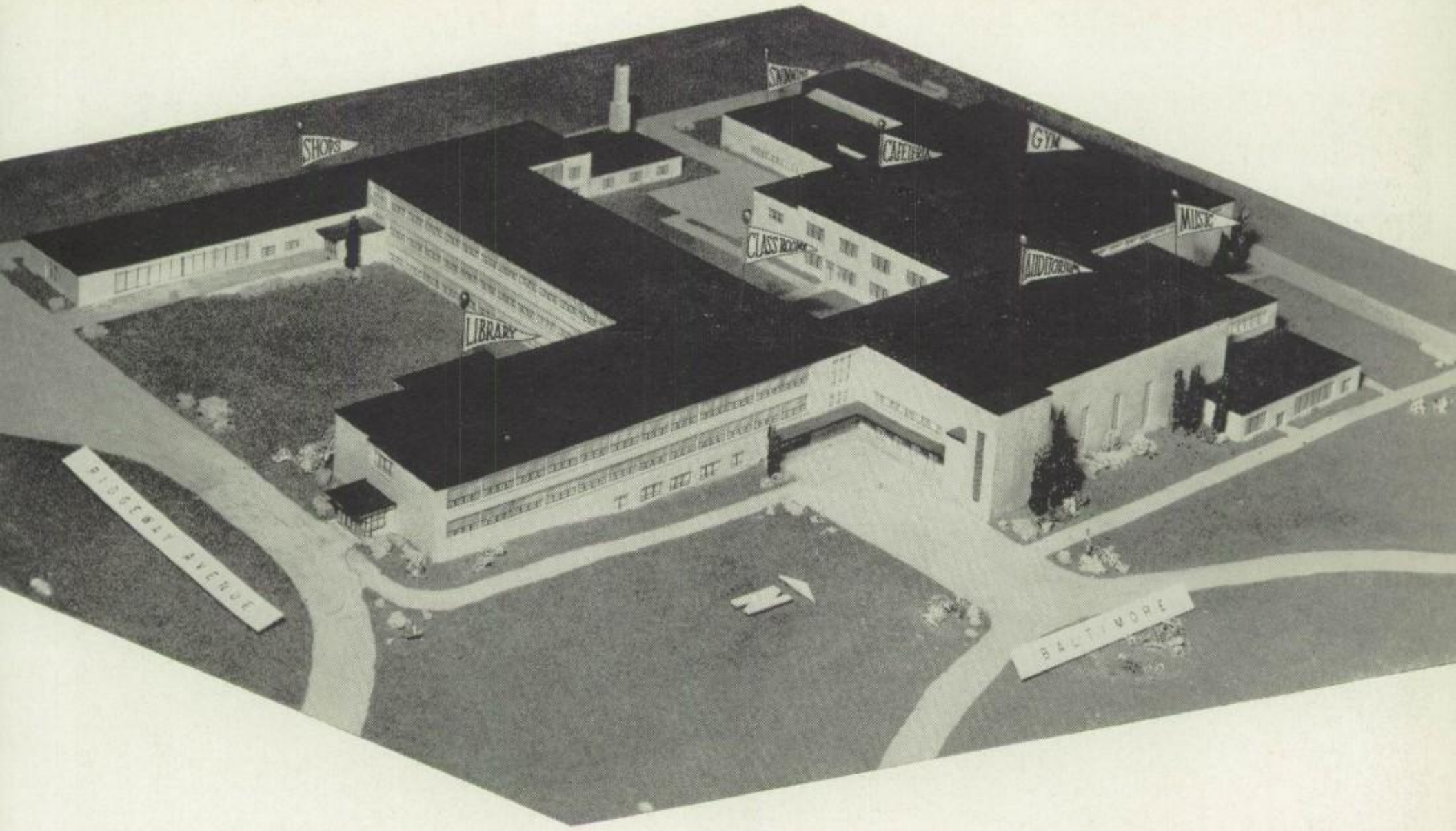
JAZZ LEGATO

OH, JOHNNY

Scenes you'll want to remember

Moments you'll recall with sentiment

Memories of your part in a great play



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Watch for opening date!

Here are pages where my friends may write,
Recalling the fun it's been —
In future years as I read these words,
I'll smile and say, "Remember when———"

Barbara.
It's really been
fun knowing you
& being in class
with you. Lots of
luck always.
Marilyn
Finger

Barbara.
It's been fun knowing
you. You are a
nice kind girl.
Good luck
wherever you go.
Eddie

Barbara.
It's been a real
nice girl. I've enjoyed
knowing you. Good luck
always. Joy Anderson

Barbara.
It's wishing lots
of luck to a fellow
graduate. Be good.
Remember "Eddie"
Jean
Knoxson

Dear Barbie
Wonderful
knowing such a
sweet girl. I'll
never forget the
good times we had together
Love
Jane.

Barbara

Best of luck to one real sweet girl. Best to you Barbara you deserve it.

Nancy Smith

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